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Wednesday, February 18, 2026

The House of Representatives of the Thirty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2026, convened at 12:08 p.m., with Vice Speaker Ichiyama presiding.

The Roll was called showing all members present.

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

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communication from the Senate (Sen. Com. No. 5) was received and announced by the Clerk:

Sen. Com. No. 5, transmitting S.B. No. 2203, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on February 17, 2026.

On motion by Representative Morikawa, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the following Senate Bill passed First Reading by title and further action was deferred: (Representative Matsumoto was excused.)

S.B. No. 2203, SD 2

INTRODUCTIONS

The following introduction was made to the members of the House:

Representative La Chica introduced Melissa Pavlicek and Jake Gunn.

ORDER OF THE DAY

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Representatives Takayama and Marten, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 341-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1974, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1974, HD 1 pass Second Reading and 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 Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1974, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Pierick voting no.

Representatives Takayama and Marten, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 342-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1853, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1853, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEMENTIA," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representatives Takayama and Marten, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 343-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1973, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B.

No. 1973, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 344-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1574, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1574, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HEALTHCARE EDUCATION LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 345-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2619, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2619, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMEMADE FOOD PRODUCTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 346-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1966, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1966, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1966, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES SPECIAL FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Garcia and Pierick voting aye with reservations.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 347-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1643, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1643, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 348-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1671, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1671, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 349-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2558, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

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Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2558, HD 1 pass Second Reading and 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."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2558, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELEHEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Amato voting aye with reservations.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 350-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1854, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1854, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CLINICS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 351-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2173, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2173, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AMBULANCES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 352-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1575, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1575, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACCESS TO MOVEMENT DISORDER CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 353-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2229, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2229, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MICROENTERPRISE HOME KITCHENS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 354-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1535, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1535, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 355-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1978, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1978, HD 1 pass Second Reading and 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 H.B. No. 1978, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WEST HAWAII REGIONAL HEALTH CARE SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Pierick voting no.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 356-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2508, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2508, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AIR MEDICAL SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 357-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1549, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1549, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

Representative Gedeon 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."

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

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

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1549, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Reyes Oda and Souza voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Gedeon, Matsumoto, Muraoka, and Pierick voting no.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 358-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2187, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2187, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

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

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2187, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, and Reyes Oda voting aye with reservations, and with Representative Pierick voting no.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 359-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1550, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1550, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1550, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Pierick voting no.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 360-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1977, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1977, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 361-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2314, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2314, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL SYSTEMS OF CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 362-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1871, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1871, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 363-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2319, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2319, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE HEALTH PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT AGENCY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 364-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1591, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1591, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 365-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1858, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1858, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1858, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VITAL STATISTICS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, and Pierick voting aye with reservations.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 366-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1898, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1898, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

Representative Pierick 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 an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

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

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

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

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1898, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Gedeon, Kila, Matsumoto, Muraoka, and Reyes Oda voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, and Pierick voting no.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 367-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2372, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2372, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2372, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSISTED COMMUNITY TREATMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Garcia voting aye with reservations.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 368-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1765, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1765, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

"No vote with comment. I appreciate the awareness that this bill brings to the issue of shallow water blackout and hypoxia. But as I've been a spear fisherman for over 20 years, I also have an extensive career in the print industry and I can tell you that even if you use a durable label, it will peel off in the water. The gear gets bumped up and the label will eventually end up in the ocean or end in the belly of one of the fish. So, that is my no vote."

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1765, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPEARFISHING SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Gedeon, Muraoka, and Pierick voting no.

Representative Marten, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 369-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2012, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2012, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY LITERACY LABS," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Marten, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 370-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1706, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1706, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Marten, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 371-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1962, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1962, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Marten, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 372-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1963, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1963, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMAGE-BASED SEXUAL ABUSE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Marten, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 373-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1975, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1975, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KUPUNA HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Marten, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 374-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2009, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2009, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY CAREGIVER SUPPORT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Marten, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 375-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2083, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2083, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PROMOTION OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Marten, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 376-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2224, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2224, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO

MEDICAID," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Marten, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 377-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1877, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1877, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

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

"In opposition. This bill would expand government, so from a conservative framework, not a good bill. But it also would expand the LGBTQ community affirmations in the State of Hawai'i. Currently that commission has eight members, this bill wants to make it 11 members. So, if the goal is to make our kids gay or whatever it is, this bill is going to expand that. I'm voting no. "

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

"In support. I just wanted to mention that, while we have so much trouble in many of our commissions getting quorum and getting people to show up, this particular commission has almost perfect attendance. And they would just like to increase their representation. And I feel that's something to really celebrate that they have so much engagement."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1877, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL, TRANSGENDER, QUEER, PLUS COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, and Pierick voting no.

Representative Marten, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 378-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1959, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1959, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Marten, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 379-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1626, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1626, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

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

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

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1626, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO YOUTH PENALTIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Gedeon and Matsumoto voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, and Pierick voting no.

Representative Marten, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 380-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1665, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1665, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1665, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Garcia voting no.

Representatives Marten and Takayama, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness and the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 381-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2488, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2488, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DISABILITY AND COMMUNICATION ACCESS BOARD," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representatives Marten and Takayama, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness and the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 382-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2456, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2456, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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 Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2456, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUGS FOR WEIGHT LOSS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Garcia voting aye with reservations, and with Representative Pierick voting no.

Representatives Chun and Lowen, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 383-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2548, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2548, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUSTAINABLE FOOD SYSTEMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Chun, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 384-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2207, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2207, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Chun, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 385-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1832, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1832, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUACULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 386-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2079, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2079, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CESSPOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 387-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1985, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1985, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CESSPOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 388-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1618, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1618, HD 1 pass Second Reading and 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 H.B. No. 1618, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CESSPOOL CONVERSIONS," passed Second Reading and 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. 389-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2486, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2486, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLAR ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 390-26)

recommending that H.B. No. 2242, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2242, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Kapela, for the Committee on Culture & Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 391-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2045, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2045, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE HOLIDAYS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kapela, for the Committee on Culture & Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 392-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1703, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1703, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 393-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2236, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2236, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 394-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2480, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2480, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY RESPONSE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 395-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1976, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1976, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEMENTIA," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 396-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2287 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2287, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PEER SUPPORT COUNSELING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 397-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2288,

as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloo, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2288, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAROLE ELIGIBILITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Matayoshi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 398-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1777, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloo moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1777, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1777, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Garcia and Shimizu voting aye with reservations, and with Representative Pierick voting no.

Representative Matayoshi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 399-26) recommending that H.B. No. 276, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloo, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 276, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Matayoshi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 400-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1660, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloo, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1660, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY LABOR STANDARDS," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representatives Garrett and Woodson, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 401-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1676, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloo, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1676, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Garrett, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 402-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1605, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloo, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1605, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN AND COMMUNITY RESILIENCE," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Garrett, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 403-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1751, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloo, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1751, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII NATIONAL GUARD STATE TUITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Garrett, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 404-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1967, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloo, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1967, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMITTING," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Garrett, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 405-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2383, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloo, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2383, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WORKFORCE PELL GRANT PROGRAM," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Garrett, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 406-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2340, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloo, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2340, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Tam, for the Committee on Tourism, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 407-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1946, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Kahaloo, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1946, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REGISTRATION OF TIME SHARES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representatives Tam and Ilagan, for the Committee on Tourism and the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 408-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2268, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloo, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2268, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FILM PRODUCTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representatives Tam and Ilagan, for the Committee on Tourism and the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 409-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1950, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloo, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1950, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representatives Tam and Ilagan, for the Committee on Tourism and the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 410-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2156, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2156, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representatives Ilagan and Sayama, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology and the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 411-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2118, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2118, HD 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 Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2118, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Pierick voting no.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 412-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1859, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1859, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 413-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1863, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1863, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1863, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN HONORARY AMBASSADOR TO CANADA," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Garcia voting aye with reservations.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 414-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1996, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1996, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEARING AIDS," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 415-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2114, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B.

No. 2114, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 416-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2423, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2423, HD 2 be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2423, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIODIESEL," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Alcos voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Garcia and Pierick voting no.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 417-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2429, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2429, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX EXPENDITURE EVALUATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 418-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2475, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2475, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABELING REQUIREMENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 419-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2534, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2534, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ROBOTICS," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 420-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2545, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2545, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 421-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1813, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1813, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1813, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Garcia voting aye with reservations.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 422-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1941, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1941, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 423-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2474, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2474, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 424-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2583, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2583, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 425-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1576, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1576, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FILMING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 426-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1886, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1886, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

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

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

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

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1886, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Gedeon, Matsumoto, Muraoka, and Pierick voting no.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 427-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1939, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1939, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 428-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2540, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2540, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

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

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

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

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2540, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Gedeon, Matsumoto, Muraoka, and Pierick voting no.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 429-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2590, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2590, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Matayoshi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 430-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2000, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2000, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RIGHT TO REPAIR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 431-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2163, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2163, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PEDESTRIANS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 432-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2386, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2386, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER CARRIERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 433-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1691, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1691, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 434-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1680, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1680, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VEHICLE TRANSFERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 435-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2516, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2516, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2516, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HELMETS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Garcia voting aye with reservations.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 436-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1993, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B.

No. 1993, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEAF INDIVIDUALS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 437-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2442, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2442, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKING FOR DISABLED PERSONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 438-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1510, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1510, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSE PLATES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 439-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1958, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1958, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, 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."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1958, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Amato voting aye with reservations.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 440-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1692, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1692, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 441-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1524, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1524, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1524, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PEDESTRIANS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Alcos, Gedeon, and Reyes Oda voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Garcia, Muraoka, and Pierick voting no.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 442-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1884, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1884, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 443-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2186, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2186, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PEDESTRIAN SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 444-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1523, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1523, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

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

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1523, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATEWIDE TRAFFIC CODE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Gedeon, and Muraoka voting aye with reservations.

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 445-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1644, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1644, HD 1 pass Second Reading and 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."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1644, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Amato voting aye with reservations.

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 446-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2243, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2243, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 447-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2244, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2244, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 448-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1980, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1980, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, 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."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1980, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING INFRASTRUCTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Garcia and Pierick voting no.

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 449-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2316 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2316, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEAD MATERIALS IN WATER INFRASTRUCTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 450-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1566, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1566, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY EFFICIENCY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 451-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1948, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1948, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

Representative Shimizu 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."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1948, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SINGLE-USE PLASTICS," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Pierick, and Shimizu voting no.

Representatives Lowen and Chun, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 452-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1617, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1617, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

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

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

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

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1617, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Reyes Oda voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Alcos, Amato, Garcia, Gedeon, Matsumoto, Muraoka, and Pierick voting no.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 453-26) recommending that H.B. No. 376, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 376, HD 2 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

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

"In opposition. This bill wants to speed up something that they don't even have a plan for yet. And in the interim, I met with a contractor that installs septic tanks, and he couldn't understand why we want to replace leaking cesspools with septic systems that are designed to leak. For that, I'm in opposition."

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

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 376, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CESSPOOLS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kila and Reyes Oda voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Gedeon, Muraoka, and Pierick voting no.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 454-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1619, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1619, HD 2 be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, 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."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1619, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLE INFRASTRUCTURE," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Garcia and Pierick voting no.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 455-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1712, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1712, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUILDING CODE COUNCIL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 456-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1844, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1844, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1844, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LAND USE COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Amato and Poepeo voting aye with reservations.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 457-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2047, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2047, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AHA MOKU ADVISORY COMMITTEE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 458-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2218, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2218, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 459-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2361, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2361, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KANEHOE BAY REGIONAL COUNCIL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 460-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2395, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2395, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TAKING OF MARINE DEPOSITS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 461-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2426, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2426, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PARKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 462-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2544, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2544, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE FEES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 463-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1571, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1571, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1571, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, and Shimizu voting aye with reservations.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 464-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2592, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2592, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Representative Souza 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 H.B. No. 2592, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MAUNA KEA STEWARDSHIP AND OVERSIGHT AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Alcos, Cochran, Garcia, Gedeon, Matsumoto, Perruso, Pierick, Poepeo,

Reyes Oda, and Shimizu voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Muraoka and Souza voting no.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 465-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2309, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2309, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION ACT, 1920," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 466-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2256, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2256, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO ENFORCEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 467-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2584, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2584, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC LAND TRUST," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 468-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2438, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2438, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII CULTURAL TRUST," was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 469-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2289, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2289, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2289, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EXPENDITURE CEILING ON THE AUTOMATED VICTIM INFORMATION AND NOTIFICATION SYSTEM SPECIAL FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Garcia voting aye with reservations.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 470-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2400, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2400, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 471-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2308, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2308, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION ACT, 1920, AS AMENDED," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 472-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1776, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1776, HD 2 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1776, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RESIDENTIAL LANDLORD-TENANT CODE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Garcia and Shimizu voting aye with reservations.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 473-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2062, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2062, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

Representative Shimizu 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."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2062, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GUN VIOLENCE PREVENTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Pierick, and Shimizu voting no.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 474-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1982, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1982, HD 2 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1982, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Alcos, Amato, Gedeon, Matsumoto, Perruso, Reyes Oda, and Shimizu voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Cochran, Garcia, Muraoka, Pierick, and Poepoe voting no.

Representatives Takayama and Matayoshi, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 475-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2501, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2501, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2501, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Alcos and Garcia voting aye with reservations.

Representatives Takayama and Matayoshi, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 476-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1875, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1875, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

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

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

"In opposition. This bill would make it basically to where if you're 14 years old and you want to have a sex change surgery, you'd be allowed to do that without mom or dad ever even knowing about it. Potentially if you are a kid that lives in Tennessee, Florida, or let's say Oklahoma, and you went to undergo that surgery, you could potentially fly to Hawai'i, have that body part chopped off, new part sewn on, and then fly back to your home state. And that could open our state up to interstate litigation. I'm voting no."

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

"Strong support, Madam Speaker. I'd like to say that I always appreciate the representative from Bethlehem's descriptive anatomical terms. However, there's nothing in this bill about minors. This is about consenting adults seeking medical care and protecting those medical providers who provide that care.

"Now, whatever some people may wish or want to think, transgender people will not suddenly stop existing if doctors stop providing gender-affirming care. You can't wish them away. They are a part of our communities. They are part of our lives. And here in Hawai'i, our host culture has had a third gender since time immemorial, since before the first Western colonizers ever came to these shores. *Mahalo*."

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

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

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

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

"Same request and a brief comment in support. Thank you, Madam Speaker. I want to clear up some misconceptions about gender affirming care and that it is not automatic surgery. Oftentimes, it starts with a lot of counseling and talk therapy before anything invasive. So, the notion that someone can just fly to Hawai'i and automatically get surgery is nonsense.

"Second, what this bill does is that it provides some protections for our medical professionals to practice evidence-based care for our patients. And it also provides our patients with a lot of privacy protections so that their medical records can't just be subpoenaed in a different state simply because they receive some kind of gender affirming care like counseling in the state. If you look at the members that supported and the organizations that supported this bill, you'll see that they're almost all healthcare professionals.

"At the same time, Hawai'i is facing a huge healthcare and medical professional shortage. By providing these kind of protections to those that are practicing evidence-based care, we'll be able to provide some kind of incentive for them not to leave the state and practice elsewhere. Thank you, Madam Speaker."

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

"I strong support and I'd like to adopt the words of the Tourism chair as if they were my own," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Amato rose in support of the measure and asked that the remarks of the representative from Waikiki, the representative from the

North Shore, and the majority leader be entered into the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

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

"Thank you, Madam Speaker. Same request, brief comment. Gender affirming care is reproductive health care. Our reproductive health providers are already protected. Under this law, we should extend the same protections to our providers for gender affirming health care as well," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

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

Representative Garcia rose to respond, stating:

"In opposition. Just to clarify, this bill is in addition to Act 2 which passed in 2023. And then Act 2 was specifically allowing minors to access abortion care without parental consent. So, this just expands the services to include gender affirming care."

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

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

Representative Pierick rose to respond, stating:

"In opposition. It was said earlier that gender-affirming care is reproductive care. That's inaccurate. The only way for that to be possible is, let's say, somebody's biologically male assumes they're a female, and then there's a biological female who assumes she's a male, and they have sex and have kids. Then sure, then it's reproductive health care. But they're both experiencing gender dysphoria about each other, and that's the only way to procreate with gender affirming care.

"All the other categories, if you undergo sex change surgery, you're no longer fertile. If you are two gay men, you can't reproduce a baby. If you're two lesbian girls, you can't reproduce a baby. So, the statement, gender affirming care is reproductive health care, is inaccurate."

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

"Madam Speaker, in support. This bill simply ensures that individuals can access and deliver health services without fear of discrimination, harassment, or legal retaliation. This measure protects our people, visitors, and healthcare providers from out-of-state efforts to punish them for undergoing or performing gender affirming procedures. We already provide the same protection for reproductive services. The intent behind this measure and the 2023 law we passed as Act 2 represents the compassion and dignity for others that is an essential part of Hawai'i's spirit. For those reasons, I ask members to support this measure. Thank you."

Representative Keohokapu-Lee Loy rose in support of the measure and asked that the remarks of the Health chair be entered into the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

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

"In strong support, and if I can just make a brief comment. In strong support because this bill will save lives. And we protect the people of Hawai'i. And as stated at the committee hearing, we are a state of *aloha*, and I don't want to see a death occur because of a lack to medical services that is provided by law. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, in strong support. May I have the words of the majority leader and the Health Committee chair adopted as if they were my own. A brief rebuttal to the comments of the representative from 'Ewa Beach. I believe the prescribing of Viagra, assisting with erectile dysfunction, is a gender affirming care process that would be protected under this bill. That is reproductive health care. I think it falls under this. So, I support this measure," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

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

"Madam Speaker, in opposition. We should care for everyone, it's not just transgender or any different gender. We believe that there is a male and female. We should have medical care, and we do have medical care for everyone. This bill is looking at transgenders and trying to focus on them. But there is so many different other people, if we want to continue pushing this on for the Hawaiians or maybe different races, then we can go out and care for them more and it's going to open more different areas.

"But what I'm saying is that we should be already caring for the people of what their needs are. And I can't see why we specifically introduce in this area and what needs they're not getting already that we should be providing that they have right now. So anyways, I'm just in opposition on this bill. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, in support. I just wanted to point out that a vast majority of gender affirming care performed on minors on the surgical side of things is for straight cisgender men who are getting breast reduction surgery. And it's an overwhelming majority of those procedures, as high as 95% to 97%. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Speaker. In strong support. I think it's important to stay on message with this bill that it is serving healthcare providers, providing protection to them. And if you take away the ideological side of it, we provide health care to prisoners, to murderers, to good people, to different religions without any regard to that. And I think it's important that we protect our healthcare providers, and that's what this bill does. It protects them from outside sources who may use political ideology to target them. And I think that's fundamentally wrong and we need to protect all of our healthcare providers. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1875, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Kila, Reyes Oda, and Souza voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Gedeon, Matsumoto, Muraoka, and Pierick voting no.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolution (H.R. No. 14) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 11 and 12) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 14, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION, TO SUBMIT A REPORT ON INCREASING ACCESS TO STABLE, SUITABLE, AND AFFORDABLE FACILITIES FOR PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS," was offered by Representative Reyes Oda.

H.C.R. No. 11, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION, TO SUBMIT A REPORT ON INCREASING ACCESS TO STABLE, SUITABLE, AND AFFORDABLE FACILITIES FOR PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS," was offered by Representative Reyes Oda.

H.C.R. No. 12, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPLYING TO CONGRESS, AS PROVIDED BY ARTICLE V OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, TO SET A LIMIT ON THE NUMBER OF TERMS THAT A PERSON MAY BE ELECTED AS A MEMBER OF CONGRESS," was offered by Representative Reyes Oda.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:40 p.m., on motion by Representative Morikawa, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until noon tomorrow, Thursday, February 19, 2026.