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THIRTY-FIFTH DAY

Monday, March 30, 2026

The House of Representatives of the Thirty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2026, convened at 12:06 p.m., with Speaker Nakamura presiding.

The Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan.

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

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 1102) was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 1102, informing the House that on March 27, 2026, the following bill was signed into law:

S.B. No. 3123, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVATE SUPPORT OF EDUCATION." (ACT 002)

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Pierick introduced his staff: Sydney Parsons, Derry Winston, Hugette Montesinos, and an intern.

Speaker Nakamura introduced her classmate from Radford High School, Sheryl Hauk, and her grandson, Brandon Hauk

ORDER OF THE DAY

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1433-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3183, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 3183, SD 2, 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 Muraoka 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 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 S.B. No. 3183, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Muraoka, Pierick, and Shimizu voting aye with reservations, with Representative Garcia voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1434-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2101, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2101, SD 1, 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 Muraoka rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2101, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ORGANIC WASTE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Garcia voting aye with reservations, with Representative Muraoka voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1435-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3138, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 3138, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDEPENDENT AUDITS OF DEPOSIT BEVERAGE DISTRIBUTORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1436-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3253, SD 2, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 3253, SD 2, HD 1 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."

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 S.B. No. 3253, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSERVATION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Gedeon voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Pierick, and Shimizu voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1437-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3154, SD 2, HD 1 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 S.B. No. 3154, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Lowen, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1438-26)

recommending that S.B. No. 3254, SD 2, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 3254, SD 2, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"No vote with a brief comment, please. No, really, objection to the bill, but I just feel like at this point in time of our budget concerns and assessing the damage from the storm, that we should defer spending on this. That's the reason for my no vote. Thank you, Speaker."

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 Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3254, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Garcia voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Pierick and Shimizu voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1439-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2614, 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 S.B. No. 2614, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1440-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3118, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, 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 S.B. No. 3118, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERSTATE COMPACT ON EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY FOR MILITARY CHILDREN," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1441-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3156, SD 1, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 3156, SD 1, HD 1 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 Muraoka 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 an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3156, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEDERAL MILITARY INSTALLATIONS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Garcia, Muraoka, and Souza voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1442-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3302, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 3302, SD 1, 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, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1443-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2408, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2408, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMPASSIONATE ACCESS TO MEDICAL CANNABIS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1444-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2095, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2095, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1445-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2175, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2175, SD 2, 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."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2175, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSABLE ELECTRONIC SMOKING DEVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Garcia voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1446-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2376, SD 2, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2376, SD 2, HD 1 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 Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2376, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENEWABLE FUELS PRODUCTION TAX CREDIT," was referred to the Committee on Finance,

with Representative Garcia voting aye with reservations, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1447-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3320, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 3320, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FOOD AND PRODUCT INNOVATION NETWORK," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1448-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3169, SD 1, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 3169, SD 1, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

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

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

"Support with reservations and a brief comment. The reservation is, this bill is tasking DBEDT to be in charge of this bill and I feel like this bill should fall under the Department of Land and Natural Resources. So, that's the reason for my reservations. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3169, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COASTAL RESILIENCE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Shimizu voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Amato, Garcia, and Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Marten, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1449-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3324, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 3324, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAID," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Marten, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1450-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2557, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2557, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1451-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2930, SD 2,

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 S.B. No. 2930, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE RISK MANAGEMENT REVOLVING FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1452-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3069, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 3069, SD 1, 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 Reyes Oda rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, 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 S.B. No. 3069, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE EXEMPT POSITIONS WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Garcia, Reyes Oda, and Shimizu voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1453-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3082, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 3082, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY FAMILIES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1454-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3109, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 3109, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1455-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3110, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, 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 S.B. No. 3110, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII NATIONAL GUARD," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1456-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3180, SD 1, 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 S.B.

No. 3180, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE EMPLOYMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1457-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3215, 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 S.B. No. 3215, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARBOR SAFETY," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1458-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3230, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 3230, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1459-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3251, SD 2, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 3251, SD 2, 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 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 Shimizu rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"No vote with a brief comment, please. Thank you, Speaker. You know, in this body, we really try to not discriminate against anyone. And I'm not sure why we would not hire somebody that's qualified to do their job just because they have a preconceived label on them. So, we shouldn't discriminate, not against anyone for the choices that they make even in other areas that we don't discriminate. So, we should be consistent in this and I'm voting no, and I would encourage my colleagues to consider that also. Thank you, Madam Speaker."

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."

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 S.B. No. 3251, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Reyes Oda and Souza voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Garcia, Gedeon, Matsumoto, Muraoka, Pierick, and Shimizu voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1460-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3332, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 3332, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE-FUNDED TRAVEL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1461-26) recommending that S.B. No. 99, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 99, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1462-26) recommending that S.B. No. 896, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 896, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1463-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2125, SD 1, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2125, SD 1, HD 1 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 S.B. No. 2125, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHER LICENSING," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Garcia voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1464-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2268, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2268, SD 2, 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."

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 S.B. No. 2268, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EQUITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Shimizu voting aye with reservations, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1465-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2338, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2338, SD 1, 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 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 Gedeon 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 Pierick 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 S.B. No. 2338, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Amato, Gedeon, Pierick, Reyes Oda, and Shimizu voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Garcia and Muraoka voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1466-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2386, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2386, SD 1, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2386, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT EARNINGS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1467-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2391, SD 2, as amended in 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 S.B. No. 2391, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1468-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2568, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2568, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFENSES AGAINST PUBLIC SERVANTS," passed Second Reading

and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1469-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2671, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2671, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ESSENTIAL PERMITTING POSITIONS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1470-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2811, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2811, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BUILDING PROJECTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1471-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2400, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2400, SD 1, 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 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."

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

"Reservations with a brief comment. I'm just not fully educated on this bill, so I'd like to just flag it with a reservations. Thank you."

Representative Poepoe 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 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 S.B. No. 2400, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Gedeon and Shimizu voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Garcia, Muraoka, Pierick, and Poepoe voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1472-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2695, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2695, SD 1, 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, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1473-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2026, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2026, SD 2, 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, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1474-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2463, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2463, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE OF INTOXICANTS WHILE OPERATING A VEHICLE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1475-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2253, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2253, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1476-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2392, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2392, SD 2, 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, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1477-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2991, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2991, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1478-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2429, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2429, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1479-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2812,

SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2812, SD 1, 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 Muraoka 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 S.B. No. 2812, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Garcia, Muraoka, and Shimizu voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1480-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3294, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 3294, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WRONGFUL IMPRISONMENT," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Matayoshi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1481-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2387, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2387, SD 1, 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 Pierick rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Shimizu rose and asked that the Clerk record 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 S.B. No. 2387, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIGITAL FINANCIAL ASSET TRANSACTION KIOSKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Garcia and Shimizu voting aye with reservations, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Matayoshi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1482-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2852, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2852, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL RIGHTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Matayoshi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1483-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2047, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2047, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACY BENEFIT MANAGERS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Matayoshi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1484-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3001, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 3001, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Matayoshi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1485-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2471, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2471, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE POWERS OF ARTIFICIAL PERSONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Matayoshi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1486-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2433, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2433, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

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. 1487-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2110, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2110, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

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. 1488-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2100, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2100, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PESTICIDES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Chun, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1489-26) recommending that S.B.

No. 874, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 874, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERINARY MEDICINE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Chun, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1490-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2102, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2102, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDUSTRIAL HEMP," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Chun, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1491-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2128, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2128, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRESPASS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Chun, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1492-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2360, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2360, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE ENTERPRISE ZONES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Quinlan, for the Committee on Legislative Management, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1493-26) recommending that S.B. No. 494, SD 2, as amended in 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 S.B. No. 494, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Quinlan, for the Committee on Legislative Management, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1494-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2661, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2661, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEPOTISM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representatives Garrett and Woodson, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1495-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3062, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Kahaloea moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that S.B. No. 3062, SD 2, 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 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 Shimizu rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Reservations with a brief comment. There's probably a good reason for this, it just doesn't make sense why we would allow our higher institution of learning education to be exempt from doing what everybody else does. So, in principle, I would support the University of Hawai'i, but just with reservations on the principle of giving them that exemption. Thank you."

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 Matsumoto 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 Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 3062, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Garcia, Gedeon, Matsumoto, Muraoka, Reyes Oda, and Shimizu voting aye with reservations, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Garrett, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1496-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2138, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloea, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2138, 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, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Garrett, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1497-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2706, SD 1, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloea moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2706, SD 1, 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 Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2706, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Garrett, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1498-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2320, SD 1, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloea moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2320, SD 1, 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 Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2320, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Garrett, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1499-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2602, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloea moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2602, SD 1, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"No vote with a brief comment. I am wondering why we are dictating to the University of Hawai'i, who is an autonomous organization, how to dictate and manage their operations. So, I think they have enough smart people there to do their job accordingly. So, that's the reason I'm voting no against this. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2602, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Shimizu voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Garrett, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1500-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2050, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Kahaloea, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2050, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHIROPRACTIC," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representatives Takayama and Marten, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1501-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2340, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloea, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2340, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY CARE FOSTER FAMILY HOMES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1502-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2934, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloea, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2934, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AMBULANCES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1503-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3203, 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 S.B. No. 3203, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AIR MEDICAL SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1504-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2418, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2418, SD 1, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"Madam Speaker, in support. I wanted to note for the record that there was an error in our Health Committee vote sheet and that two members, Representatives Alcos and Garcia, were recorded as excused when they actually voted no. Clerk has corrected the bill status and is in the process of making the correction in the Journal. Thank you."

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

"Reaffirming my no vote."

Representative Gedeon 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 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 Reyes Oda rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, 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 Muraoka rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2418, SD 1, 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 Representative Reyes Oda voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Gedeon, Matsumoto, Muraoka, Pierick, and Shimizu voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Marten, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1505-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3325, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, 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 S.B. No. 3325, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOL MEDICAID REIMBURSEMENTS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Marten, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1506-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3204, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 3204, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY RESILIENCE PILOT PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Marten, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1507-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2861, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2861, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF WELLNESS AND RESILIENCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Woodson, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1508-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3279, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 3279, SD 1, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, 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 S.B. No. 3279, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Amato voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Woodson, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1509-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2877, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2877, SD 1, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"No vote and a brief comment. I don't really have a super strong objection to this as far as the intent of reading. I just think we should use our monies more wisely. And this is a nice thing to have but not a necessity at this point. So, that's the reason I'm voting no on this. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2877, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Shimizu voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Woodson, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1510-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3063, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 3063, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PROCUREMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Woodson, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1511-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2550, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahalua, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2550, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL MODERNIZATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Kapela, for the Committee on Culture & Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1512-26) recommending that S.B. No. 1023, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahalua, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1023, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SPAYING AND NEUTERING OF ANIMALS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1513-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2925, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahalua, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2925, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COCONUT TREES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Evslin, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1514-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2405, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Water & Land.

Representative Kahalua moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2405, SD 1, HD 2 be referred to the Committee on Water & Land, 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 Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2405, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL WORKFORCE HOUSING," was referred to the Committee on Water & Land, with Representative Garcia voting aye with reservations, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Evslin, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1515-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2599, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahalua moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2599, SD 2, 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 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 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 S.B. No. 2599, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEVELOPMENT," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Garcia, Gedeon, and Reyes Oda voting aye with reservations, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Evslin, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1516-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3233, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahalua moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 3233, SD 1, HD 2 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3233, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL WORKFORCE HOUSING," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Evslin, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1517-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2061, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Kahalua moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2061, SD 2, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2061, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL CONDOMINIUMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1518-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3067, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahalua, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3067, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECORDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1519-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2907, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahalua moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2907, SD 1, HD 2 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."

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

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

"Thank you, Madam Speaker. Support with reservations and just a comment. The reservation is based on giving the governor the authority to

appoint the marine affairs coordinator. This bill is assigning this entity to the Hawaii Technology Development Corporation, and I think that corporation itself should be in charge of appointing their own coordinator, and the governor has enough things to do, he doesn't really have to be the one to assign this position. So, that's the reason for my reservation. Thank you."

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2907, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARINE AFFAIRS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Garcia, Poepoe, and Shimizu voting aye with reservations, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1520-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2367, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2367, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BOATING FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1521-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2046, SD 2, HD 1 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 S.B. No. 2046, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1522-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2398, SD 2, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2398, SD 2, 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 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 Gedeon rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

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

"No vote please. Can I make a brief comment? This bill was asking Board of Water Supply to provide data publicly and they testified multiple times giving strong opposition and very valid reasons why they are not able to do this. So, I think it's hard to pass legislation when the main entity is giving valid reasons that they shouldn't be mandated to do this. So, that's the reason I'm voting no on this. Thank you, Madam Speaker."

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

"In support. I just want to clarify that the strong opposition from the water managers in the Housing Committee was based on the Senate version of the bill. The House language, which we put into the bill in the Housing Committee, was language that was drafted in collaboration with the water managers. It is language that in previous meetings they said that they could

support and implement. And the intention is just for them to disclose where water is available for housing development across Hawai'i. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2398, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL HOUSING UTILITIES," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Gedeon, Muraoka, and Shimizu voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1523-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2800, SD 1, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2800, SD 1, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"Reservations, please. I originally had supported this bill with reservations. My thinking at this point in time is, based on the tremendous flood damage and the time that's needed to assess that, personally, I think we should defer this and spend the money in other areas of need. We should reassess this irrigation requirements and necessity based on the outcomes of the flood damage assessments. So, that's my reason for voting no on this at this time. Thank you, Madam Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2800, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IRRIGATION SYSTEMS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Shimizu voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1524-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2074, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2074, SD 1, HD 2 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2074, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FACILITIES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Reyes Oda voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1525-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2543, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2543, SD 2, HD 2 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."

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 S.B. No. 2543, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Garcia voting aye with reservations, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1526-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2596,

SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2596, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT LEASES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1527-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2613, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2613, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND TRANSFER," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1528-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2818, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2818, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2818, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BOATING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Garcia voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1529-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2944, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2944, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSERVATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1530-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2973, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2973, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2973, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FISHING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Garcia voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Tam, for the Committee on Tourism, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1531-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2698, SD 2, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2698, SD 2, HD 1 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 Pierick 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 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 Matsumoto rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, 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 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 S.B. No. 2698, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Gedeon, Matsumoto, Muraoka, Pierick, Reyes Oda, Shimizu, and Souza voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Alcos and Garcia voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Matayoshi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1532-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3103, SD 2, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 3103, SD 2, HD 1 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."

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 S.B. No. 3103, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY ASSISTANCE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Garcia and Shimizu voting aye with reservations, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Matayoshi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1533-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3263, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 3263, SD 2, 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 Pierick 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 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 S.B. No. 3263, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Reyes Oda and Shimizu voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Garcia and Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Matayoshi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1534-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2761, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2761, SD 2, HD 2 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

"Thank you, Madam Speaker. I'd like to disclose that I have a substantial personal financial conflict of interest. I do own over \$200,000 in Meta stock that may or may not be impacted by this bill."

The Chair addressed Representative Iwamoto, stating:

"Okay, you are part of a broader class, so you are able to vote and there is no conflict of interest. And this will apply to the remaining of this session."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2761, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOCIAL MEDIA," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Matayoshi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1535-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3133, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 3133, SD 2, HD 2 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 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 Muraoka 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 Shimizu rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3133, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PREVENTIVE MEDICINE," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Gedeon, Matsumoto, Muraoka, Pierick, and Shimizu voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Matayoshi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1536-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2961, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2961, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Matayoshi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1537-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3326, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 3326, SD 2, 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 Reyes Oda 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 Muraoka rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3326, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Muraoka, Pierick, and Reyes Oda voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Matayoshi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1538-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3045, SD 1, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, 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 S.B. No. 3045, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Matayoshi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1539-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3025, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 3025, SD 2, HD 2 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

"No vote with a brief comment, please. This bill is taking on a responsibility that I feel is unwise at this time, especially with our budget requirements and just trying to find money. I don't think it's a wise thing to incur more debt and establish something that is going to obligate us for future debt. So, that is the reason I'm voting no on this. Although it's a good idea, I wish we could help everybody. But in this time, I think we need to make hard decisions and that's what I will do. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3025, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL DEBT," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Pierick voting aye with reservations, with Representative Shimizu voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1540-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2593, SD 1, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2593, SD 1, HD 1 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."

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 S.B. No. 2593, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS BOARD," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, and Pierick voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1541-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2798, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2798, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1542-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3140, 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 S.B. No. 3140, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FIRE COUNCIL," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1543-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2567, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2567, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PETITIONS TO TEMPORARILY RESTRAIN AND ENJOIN HARASSMENT OF AN EMPLOYEE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1544-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2041, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2041, SD 1, HD 2 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2041, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1545-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2948, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2948, SD 2, 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."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2948, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE FRAUD," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Garcia voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1546-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2057, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2057, SD 2, 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 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 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 Shimizu rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"No vote with a brief comment. Speaker, maybe I'm idealistic. I'd like to think that we can put aside our differences and try to work together to accomplish greater things. So, I feel that it's important for us to work together with the federal government, especially as we are trying to gather their assistance for FEMA. And we shouldn't be creating enemies. So, that's my take on this. Again, I'm hopeful that we can find ways to overcome our differences and work together for the greater good. Thank you, Madam Speaker."

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 S.B. No. 2057, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kila voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Gedeon, Matsumoto, Muraoka, Pierick, and Shimizu voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1547-26) recommending

that S.B. No. 2146, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2146, SD 1, 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 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 Shimizu rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Madam Speaker. No vote with a comment. First of all, thank you, colleagues, for your patience in my expressing the reasons for my no votes. I think it's one thing to ask people who have means to pay more in taxes and so forth, but I think when we start having unequal justice, where someone who commits the same crime is required to pay more, it sets a dangerous precedent. And I don't think that's what we want to promote. So, I feel like if you commit the same crime, you have the same penalties, whether it's a misdemeanor, whether it's a class C felony all the way up to class A. There's no distinction on you as a person and the crime you committed and what is your debt to our society. So, no vote."

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 speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"In opposition, and I'd like to adopt the words of the representative from Moanalua as my own. Equal justice, Madam Speaker, under the law. No vote," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

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

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 S.B. No. 2146, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC INFRACTIONS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Reyes Oda voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Gedeon, Matsumoto, Muraoka, Pierick, and Shimizu voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Tamas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1548-26) recommending that S.B. No. 83, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 83, SD 2, 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 Gedeon rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

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

"No vote with a brief comment, please. I get the intention of this, there's just some practical difficulties that will make things very difficult for our hospitality industry. We're trying to address cost of living and we need to support businesses. And, of course, tourism is one of our most important industries. And it's just difficult when we make things difficult for people to do business here. So, that's the reason for my no vote, Madam Speaker. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 83, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOTELS," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Gedeon voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Garcia and Shimizu voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Tamas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1549-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3040, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 3040, SD 1, 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."

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 Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3040, SD 1, 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 Representative Alcos voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Garcia and Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Tamas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1550-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3247, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 3247, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Tamas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1551-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3219, 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 S.B. No. 3219, 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 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 S.B. No. 3219, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLE VII, SECTIONS 12 AND 13, OF THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Garcia and Pierick voting aye with reservations, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1552-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2688, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloha moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2688, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2688, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMPASSIONATE RELEASE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1553-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2601, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloha moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2601, SD 2, 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 Shimizu rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Reservations with a brief comment. Thank you, Madam Speaker. The testimony that I heard was there is current policy in place to accomplish what this bill is stating. So, this bill has appropriations. I don't think it's necessary to spend money on this bill when the testifiers did state that they are able to accomplish this with policy that's already existing. Thank you, Madam Speaker."

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2601, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Garcia and Shimizu voting aye with reservations, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1554-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2575, SD 2, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloha, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2575, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1555-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2239, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloha moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 2239, SD 1, 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 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 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."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2239, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTER REGISTRATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Shimizu voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Gedeon, Matsumoto, and Muraoka voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1556-26) recommending that S.B. No. 1166, SD 2, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloha moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 1166, SD 2, 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 Pierick 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 Gedeon 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 Matsumoto rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

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

"No vote with a comment, please. This bill has good intentions like all the bills that's introduced. There are some problems with this bill creating litigation openings. I'm going to read from the Hawai'i Insurers Council that says, 'while the legislative purpose of the bill is noble, the bill does not recognize that climate change is only one of many factors driving increased premiums, a constrained property insurance market, and overall market destabilization. For example, wildfires can be caused or contributed to by arson, unattended campfires, fallen utility lines, and unmanaged vegetation, among other causes not directly or even indirectly related to climate change. Premiums for property insurance can increase when maintenance in buildings is deferred. Water damage caused by plumbing leaks and electrical fires caused by human inattention or faulty wiring are common damage claims asserted under property policies. These have nothing to do with climate change, but they do impact on the cost of property insurance.' And I might add no water for firefighters.

"Suits to make responsible parties pay will be costly and may result in the unintended consequence of increasing the cost of insurance since the

expenses incurred by insurers in lawsuits eventually would be factored into insurance rates. In short, the bill may not solve the multi-factored problems it seeks to address. Among the problems the bill seeks to address are increased premiums, higher costs of coverage, insurer withdrawal, reduction in coverage, and cessation of new business writings in Hawaii. These problems will not be solved by the bill unless plaintiffs use their own resources and prevail in a lawsuit. Otherwise, this bill may have little impact.'

"So, that's reading directly from the Hawai'i Insurers Council, and that's the reason for my no vote. Thank you, Madam Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1166, SD 2, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Gedeon, Matsumoto, Muraoka, and Reyes Oda voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Pierick, and Shimizu voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1557-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2470, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2470, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1558-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3152, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 3152, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL PORT ADMINISTRATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1559-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2694, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2694, SD 2, 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, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1560-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3029, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 3029, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Kila, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1561-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2999, SD 1, 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 S.B. No. 2999, SD 1, HD 2 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."

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

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

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2999, SD 1, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A CLEAN FUEL STANDARD," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Gedeon, Pierick, and Shimizu voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1562-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2109, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2109, SD 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS COMMUNICATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1563-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2151, SD 2, 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 S.B. No. 2151, SD 2, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

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

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

"In support. Thank you, Madam Speaker. This bill has been quite controversial since it was introduced. Lots of phone calls, lots of testimony, emails against the bill, for the bill. I think it's important to establish the fact that this bill doesn't give the governor any additional new powers. It doesn't give or broaden his authority at all. What it actually does is it reigns in, it gives authority to the Legislature to override an emergency proclamation, which I believe, as a conservative, that's a good thing. Oversight is a good thing.

"I do believe that in recent years, the governor has abused his emergency powers, so this is a good thing. I do want to commend the chair of Public Safety for changing the threshold of which it takes for this body or this branch of government to override from a two-thirds to a simple majority, that makes more sense. So, for those reasons, in support. And I would like to see this body reign in the governor's powers of emergency."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2151, SD 2, 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, with Representative Souza voting no, and with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

Representative Tarnas, for the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1564-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3225 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3225, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION; AMENDING OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES OR THE SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII FOR THE PURPOSES OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, OR DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan being excused.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

H.R.

<u>Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
19	Committee on Finance
131	Committee on Finance
163	Committee on Finance

H.C.R.

<u>Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
18	Committee on Finance
139	Committee on Finance
173	Committee on Finance

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:48 p.m., on motion by Representative Morikawa, seconded by Representative Garcia and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until noon tomorrow, Tuesday, March 31, 2026. (Representatives Cochran, Lowen, Perruso, and Quinlan were excused.)