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## THIRTEENTH DAY

Wednesday, February 11, 2026

The House of Representatives of the Thirty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2026, convened at 12:07 p.m., with Vice Speaker Ichiyama presiding.

The Roll was called showing all members present.

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

## INTRODUCTIONS

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

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Garcia  
Rep. Hussey  
Rep. Tam  
Rep. Cochran  
Rep. Miyake  
Rep. Ilagan  
Rep. Holt

## ORDER OF THE DAY

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS  
(FLOOR PRESENTATIONS)

The following resolution (H.R. No. 11) was announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 11, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND COMMENDING 808 ELITE FOR ITS HISTORIC ACHIEVEMENTS AT THE AMERICAN YOUTH FOOTBALL NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS," was offered by Representative Holt.

Representative Holt moved that H.R. No. 11 be adopted, seconded by Representative Todd.

Representative Todd recognized the development and professionalism of the athletes and coaches; congratulated the team on their success; and thanked the families and coaches for their sacrifice and support to set the players up for success.

Representative Holt recognized the 808 Elite youth football team for their outstanding national and local achievements; highlighted their victories over top-ranked teams, undefeated tournament championship, and historic national competition performances; acknowledged their resilience, sportsmanship, and pride in representing Hawai'i; commended the players, coaches, families, and supporters for inspiring Hawai'i's youth; honored 808 Elite as exemplary ambassadors of aloha, teamwork, and excellence on the national football stage; and introduced the following honorees:

Players: Titus Poyer (#54), Soane Feleunga (#3), and Caper Te'o-Fualaau (#17), who were seated on the Floor of the House;

Coaches: Mike Tanuvasa and Ricky Esubio, who were seated on the Floor of the House;

Players: Troy Alaillesulu (#6), Trentin Arikawa (#66), Miguel-Tito Bagio (#45), Stylez Colburn (#23), Dominic Fiesta (#2), Mathias Fonoti (#7), Zavian Franklin (#12), Duke Hironaka (#8), Shah Kapana (#70), Lennox Keaweehu (#11), KaiLouis (Kimoto) (#1), Jeremiah Neill (#21), Ulyssius Orso (#19), Ronson Sula Palau Ganai (#15), Michael Pselio (#97), Matthias Samia (#24), Neriah Samia (#26), Nakea Shimamoto (#4), Brayden Solidum (#14), Lion Spencer (#9), Thaison Syhaphom (#44), Blaze Tanuvasa (#5), Titus Taulanga (#75), Madden Te'o-Fualaau (#55), Sianoh Tito (#22), Nalesoni Tongamoa (#90), Penisoni Tuifua (#95), Ryder Vierra (#30), and Jashton Zealen Zamora (#13), who were seated the gallery; and

Coaches: Ehu Hironaka, Randall Franklin, Chris Syhaphom, Manu Tonga, Daniel Poyer, Pono Vierra, Peter Neill, Sila Tonga, and Emmitt Vaiese, who were seated in the gallery.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 11 was adopted.

At 12:21 p.m., the Chair declared a recess to allow the members to meet and congratulate the honorees.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:29 p.m.

## REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Representatives Garrett and Woodson, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 130-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1872, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1872, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN EARLY LEARNING APPRENTICESHIP GRANT PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Garrett, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 131-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2171, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water & Land.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2171, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water & Land, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Garrett, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 132-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2161, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2161, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Pierick

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2161, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Garrett, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 133-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2416, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2416, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A MARITIME YOUTH APPRENTICESHIP PATHWAY PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Garrett, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 134-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2518, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Housing.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2518, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Housing, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Pierick

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2518, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Housing, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Garrett, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 135-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2617, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2617, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Pierick

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2617, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Garrett, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 136-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2159, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Health.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2159, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Health, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Pierick

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2159, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Health, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Evslin, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 137-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2606, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water & Land.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2606, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFF-SITE CONSTRUCTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water & Land, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Evslin, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 138-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2362, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water & Land.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2362, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water & Land, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Evslin, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 139-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2385, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Technology.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2385, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on

Economic Development & Technology, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Evslin, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 140-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2476, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2476, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLE VII, SECTIONS 12 AND 13, OF THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Evslin, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 141-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1923, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water & Land.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1923, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water & Land, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Muraoka  
Rep. Perruso  
Rep. Poepoe

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1923, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL HOUSING UTILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water & Land, with Representatives Muraoka, Perruso, and Poepoe voting aye with reservations, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Evslin, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 142-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2444, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Technology.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2444, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 143-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1608, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Transportation.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1608, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST FENIX SPACE, INC.," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Transportation, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 144-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1967, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1967, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Pierick

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1967, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMITTING," passed Second Reading and was

referred to the Committee on Higher Education, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 145-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1968, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water & Land.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1968, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMITTING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water & Land, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 146-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2502, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2502, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 147-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1782, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1782, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE FOR THE PROTECTION OF MINORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 148-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2357, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2357, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Pierick

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2357, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 149-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2445, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2445, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Pierick  
Rep. Alcos  
Rep. Gedeon  
Rep. Matsumoto  
Rep. Garcia  
Rep. Muraoka  
Rep. Shimizu

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2445, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STUDENT SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education, with Representatives Gedeon, Matsumoto, and Shimizu voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Muraoka, and Pierick voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 150-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1870, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1870, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Garcia  
Rep. Gedeon  
Rep. Matsumoto  
Rep. Alcos  
Rep. Pierick  
Rep. Muraoka  
Rep. Reyes Oda

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1870, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROTECTED COMMUNITY LOCATIONS," 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, and Pierick voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 151-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1838, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1838, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VISAS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Ilagan, for the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 152-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2137, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2137, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Pierick

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2137, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Marten, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 153-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2208, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2208, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD SECURITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Marten, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 154-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2458, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2458, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Garcia  
Rep. Pierick

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2458, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SURVEILLANCE PRICING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Garcia and Pierick voting aye with reservations, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Marten, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 155-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1972, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Technology.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1972, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Marten, for the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 156-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2007, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Technology.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2007, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSEHOLD AND DEPENDENT CARE SERVICES TAX CREDIT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 157-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2160, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2160, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CANCER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 158-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2343, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2343, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 159-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2315, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2315, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Shimizu

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2315, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE EMPLOYEE BENEFITS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 160-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2505, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2505, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Garcia

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2505, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSISTED COMMUNITY TREATMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Garcia voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 161-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1857, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1857, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 162-26) recommending that H.B. No. 469, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloa, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 469, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKING FOR DISABLED PERSONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 163-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1452, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Kahaloa moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1452, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Garcia  
Rep. Alcos  
Rep. Matsumoto  
Rep. Gedeon  
Rep. Muraoka  
Rep. Reyes Oda  
Rep. Shimizu  
Rep. Pierick  
Rep. Kong  
Rep. Tam

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1452, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIRTH CERTIFICATES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Reyes Oda voting aye with reservations, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Gedeon, Kong, Matsumoto, Muraoka, Pierick, and Shimizu voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Takayama, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 164-26) recommending that H.B. No. 814, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 814, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED:     Rep. Garcia  
                                  Rep. Pierick  
                                  Rep. Alcos

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 814, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CANNABIS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, and Pierick voting aye with reservations, and with Representative Holt 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. 165-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1621, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1621, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED:     Rep. Pierick

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1621, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representative Holt 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. 166-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1880, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1880, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED:     Rep. Garcia

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1880, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PESTICIDES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Garcia voting aye with reservations, and with Representative Holt 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. 167-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1831, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1831, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO

AGRICULTURAL LANDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Chun, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 168-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1572, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1572, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUACULTURE DEVELOPMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Chun, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 169-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2119, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2119, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COFFEE PEST CONTROL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Chun, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 170-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2139, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2139, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Chun, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 171-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2459, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Technology.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2459, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FOOD AND PRODUCT INNOVATION NETWORK," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Chun, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 172-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2194, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2194, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED:     Rep. Garcia  
                                  Rep. Alcos  
                                  Rep. Pierick

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2194, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEI," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Alcos and Garcia voting aye with reservations, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Chun, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 173-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2561, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water & Land.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2561, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FERAL ANIMALS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water & Land, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Chun, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 174-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2017, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2017, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Chun, for the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 175-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1931, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1931, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Pierick

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1931, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representatives Evslin and Hashem, for the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 176-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1700, 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 Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1700, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representatives Evslin and Hashem, for the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 177-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1719, 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 Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1719, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representatives Evslin and Hashem, for the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 178-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1726, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1726, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Pierick

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1726, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was

referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representatives Evslin and Hashem, for the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 179-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1737, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1737, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FARM EMPLOYEE HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representatives Evslin and Hashem, for the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 180-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1742, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Transportation.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1742, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Transportation, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representatives Evslin and Hashem, for the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 181-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2049, 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 Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2049, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Garcia  
Rep. Pierick  
Rep. Reyes Oda  
Rep. Matsumoto  
Rep. Gedeon  
Rep. Muraoka  
Rep. Alcos

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2049, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," 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, and Pierick voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 182-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2383, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2383, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Pierick

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2383, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WORKFORCE PELL GRANT PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 183-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2116, as

amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2116, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GRANTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 184-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2446, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2446, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WAGE AND HOUR LAW," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 185-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2249, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2249, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Amato

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2249, 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 Representative Amato voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 186-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2255, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2255, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Amato

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2255, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Amato voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 187-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2320, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2320, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FIRE COUNCIL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Sayama, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 188-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2360, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2360, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAID FAMILY LEAVE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 189-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2581, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2581, 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 Holt being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 190-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2443, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2443, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISASTER SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 191-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1531, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1531, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY ANNOUNCEMENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 192-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2622, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2622, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANGUAGE ACCESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 193-26) recommending that H.B. No. 9, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Culture & Arts.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 9, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT DESIGNATING HAWAII AS A PURPLE HEART STATE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Culture & Arts, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 194-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2290, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2290, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Pierick

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2290, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 195-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2291, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2291, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII NATIONAL GUARD," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 196-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2235, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Technology.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2235, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Pierick

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2235, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MILITARY AND COMMUNITY RELATIONS OFFICE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Technology, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 197-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2263, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2263, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY FAMILIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 198-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2498, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2498, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CARE HOMES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Human Services & Homelessness, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 199-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1579, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1579, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Garcia  
Rep. Pierick  
Rep. Muraoka  
Rep. Alcos

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1579, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR

AN ACT RELATING TO LIGHT POLLUTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Alcos, Garcia, Muraoka, and Pierick voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 200-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1728, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Kahaloe, seconded by Representative Morikawa and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1728, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RAINWATER CATCHMENT SYSTEMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representative Holt being excused.

Representative Matayoshi, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 201-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1900, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Representative Kahaloe moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1900, HD 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, seconded by Representative Morikawa.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Pierick  
Rep. Amato  
Rep. Alcos

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1900, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REMEDIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Alcos and Amato voting aye with reservations, with Representative Pierick voting no, and with Representative Holt being excused.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

REMARKS DELIVERED: Vice Speaker Ichiyama

#### COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
2301	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
2459, HD1	Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
2561, HD1	Committee on Agriculture & Food Systems, then to the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

#### ADJOURNMENT

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

#### OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

"HAWAI'I STATE LEGISLATURE  
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February 10, 2026

#### MEMORANDUM

## MINI JOURNAL

TO: All Senate Members  
All House Members

FROM: Senate President Ronald D. Kouchi  
House Speaker Nadine K. Nakamura

RE: Renumbering of Legislative Days

Following Governor Josh Green's announcement that state offices would be closed on Monday, February 9, 2026 due to potentially severe weather conditions, we jointly decided that the Legislature would also be closed. This meant that what would have been Day 12 of the 2026 legislative session did not occur. As a result, today, which would have been Day 13, is hereby redesignated Day 12. Numbering of all subsequent legislative days shall be adjusted accordingly.

This redesignation shall not affect any deadlines on the legislative timetable.

/s/ Ronald D. Kouchi

Ronald D. Kouchi  
President of the Senate

/s/ Nadine K. Nakamura

Nadine K. Nakamura  
Speaker of the House of Representatives

cc: Senate Chief Clerk  
House Chief Clerk  
Senate Sergeant-at-Arms  
House Sergeant-at-Arms  
Legislative Reference Bureau"