

## FORTY-EIGHTH DAY

Monday, March 24, 1975

The Senate of the Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1975, convened at 11:00 o'clock a.m., with the President in the Chair.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Elder Bernard Kau of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, after which the Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senator King who was excused.

The President announced that he had read and approved the Journal of the Forty-Seventh Day.

At this time, the following introductions were made to the members of the Senate:

Senator Taira introduced members of the baseball team from Meiji University of Japan. Also introduced were Mr. Kenkichi Matsuo, Director of Baseball; and Mr. Kichiro Shimaoka, Manager and Coach.

Senator Yee introduced members of the Iolani High School Stage Band, together with Mr. Wayne DeMello, Chairman of the Music Department at Iolani High School. They were presented with a copy of S.R. No. 329 honoring them for winning First Prize in the Reno International School Jazz Festival.

Senator George then introduced members of Girl Scout Cadet Troop 243 from Kailua, together with their leaders Mrs. Betty Hemings and Mrs. Jan Simonson.

## MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

A message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 87), transmitting the State's C.I.P. Status Report - Bond Fund Summary prepared by the Department of Planning and Economic Development with the cooperation of the Department of Accounting and General Services, was read by the Clerk and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

## HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 294 to 296) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

A communication from the House (Hse. Com. No. 294), informing the Senate that the House of Representen-

tatives has disagreed to the amendments proposed by the Senate to House Bill No. 360, H.D. 1, and has requested a conference on the subject matter thereof, in consequence of which the Speaker, on March 21, 1975, appointed Representatives Yamada, Chairman, Yap, Cobb, Naito, Carroll and Sutton as Managers on the part of the House for the consideration of said amendments, was placed on file.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kuroda, Chairman, Kawasaki and Leopold as Managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

A communication from the House (Hse. Com. No. 295), transmitting House Concurrent Resolution No. 55, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on March 21, 1975, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 55, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE PROBLEM OF OVERBOOKING IN THE HOTEL INDUSTRY", was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection.

A communication from the House (Hse. Com. No. 296), transmitting House Concurrent Resolution No. 102, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on March 21, 1975, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 102, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO STUDY THE SUITABILITY OF TRANSFER OF DEVELOPMENT RIGHTS", was referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

## SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 120 and 121) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

A concurrent resolution (S.C.R. No. 120), entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN INVESTIGATION OF POSSIBLE ABUSES OF THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE SYSTEM", was jointly offered by Senators Toyofuku, Anderson, Chong, Taira, Takitani, F. Wong, Yim, Henderson, Young, Rohlfing, Ching, Saiki and O'Connor.

By unanimous consent, S.C.R. No. 120 was referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

A concurrent resolution (S.C.R. No. 121), entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION TO ADOPT A POLICY RELATING TO THE GENERATION OF POWER FROM LOCAL RENEWABLE MATERIALS", was jointly offered by Senators King, Taira, Takitani, Chong, Hulten and Yim.

By unanimous consent, S.C.R. No. 121 was jointly referred to the Committees on Energy/Natural Resources and Public Utilities.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION

A resolution (S.R. No. 365), entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION TO ADOPT A POLICY RELATING TO THE GENERATION OF POWER FROM LOCAL RENEWABLE MATERIALS", was jointly offered by Senators King, Taira, Takitani, Chong, Hulten and Yim, and was read by the Clerk.

By unanimous consent, S.R. No. 365 was jointly referred to the Committees on Energy/Natural Resources and Public Utilities.

#### STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Yamasaki, for the Committee on Legislative Management, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 696), informing the Senate that Senate Concurrent Resolution Nos. 119 to 121, Senate Resolution Nos. 363 to 365, and Standing Committee Report Nos. 697 to 708 have been printed and are ready for distribution.

On motion by Senator Yamasaki, seconded by Senator Henderson and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted.

Senator Toyofuku, for the Committee on Human Resources, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 697), recommending that House Concurrent Resolution No. 81, H.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 697 and H.C.R. No. 81, H.D. 1, was deferred until Tuesday, March 25, 1975.

Senator Toyofuku, for the Committee on Human Resources, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 698), recommending that House

Bill No. 430, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Senator Toyofuku, seconded by Senator Young and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 430, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ASSISTANCE", passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senator Toyofuku, for the Committee on Human Resources, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 699), recommending that House Bill No. 1740, H.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Toyofuku, seconded by Senator Young and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1740, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE COMMITTEE TO REDUCE UNEMPLOYMENT", passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Young, for the Committee on Housing and Hawaiian Homes, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 700), recommending that House Bill No. 12, H.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Young, seconded by Senator Toyofuku and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 12, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REAL PROPERTY HOME EXEMPTION", passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Young, for the Committee on Housing and Hawaiian Homes, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 701), recommending that House Bill No. 13, H.D. 2, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Young, seconded by Senator Toyofuku and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 13, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY TAXES", passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Young, for the Committee on Housing and Hawaiian Homes,

presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 702), recommending that House Bill No. 1887, H.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Young, seconded by Senator Toyofuku and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1887, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSISTANCE TO DISPLACED PERSONS", passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

At 11:11 o'clock a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

At 11:22 o'clock a.m., the Senate reconvened.

Senator O'Connor, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 703), recommending that Senate Resolution No. 40 be adopted.

On motion by Senator O'Connor, seconded by Senator Ching and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 40, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION TO CONDUCT A REVIEW OF ALL PRESENT TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS", was adopted.

Senator O'Connor, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 704), recommending that House Bill No. 857, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator O'Connor, seconded by Senator Ching and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 857, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FUEL TAX LAW AND AMENDING SECTION 243-4, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES", passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator O'Connor, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 705), recommending that House Bill No. 1241, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Senator O'Connor, seconded by Senator Ching and carried, the report of the Committee

was adopted and H.B. No. 1241, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BICYCLES WITH MOTORS", passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senator Toyofuku, for the Committee on Human Resources, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 706), recommending that House Concurrent Resolution No. 85 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Toyofuku, seconded by Senator Young and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 85, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A REVIEW OF THE PERFORMANCE AND RELATIONSHIP OF THE COMMISSION ON CHILDREN AND YOUTH, THE COMMUNITY COORDINATED CHILD CARE COMMITTEE AND STATE OFFICES, AGENCIES, AND DEPARTMENTS WITH PROGRAM RESPONSIBILITIES FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH", was adopted.

Senator Young, for the Committee on Housing and Hawaiian Homes, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 707), recommending that House Bill No. 54, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Senator Young, seconded by Senator Toyofuku and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 54, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VIII, SECTION 4, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO ALLOW THE STATE TO ENGAGE IN THE PROVISION OF HOUSING, IN SLUM CLEARANCE, AND IN THE REHABILITATION OF HOUSING", passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senator F. Wong, for the Committee on Economic Development, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 708), recommending that House Bill No. 1870, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 16, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, the 24-hour notice was given on H.B. No. 1870, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LAND USE COMMISSION".

At 11:24 o'clock a.m., the Senate

stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

At 11:28 o'clock a.m., the Senate reconvened.

ORDER OF THE DAY

RE-REFERRAL OF  
A SENATE RESOLUTION

The President made the following re-referral of a Senate Resolution that was offered on Wednesday, January 22, 1975:

Senate Resolution Referred to:

No. 109 Committee on Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Legislative Management

THIRD READING

House Bill No. 383:

By unanimous consent, consideration of H.B. No. 383, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OATHS IN VITAL STATISTICS REGISTRATION", was deferred until Thursday, March 27, 1975.

House Bill No. 384:

By unanimous consent, consideration of H.B. No. 384, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VITAL STATISTICS REGISTRATION OF FETAL DEATHS", was deferred until Thursday, March 27, 1975.

House Bill No. 1877:

By unanimous consent, consideration of H.B. No. 1877, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES AND HOUSING", was deferred until Thursday, March 27, 1975.

House Bill No. 373:

By unanimous consent, consideration of H.B. No. 373, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS OF THE STATE OF HAWAII", was deferred until Tuesday, March 25, 1975.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:29 o'clock a.m., on motion by Senator Taira, seconded by Senator Anderson and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m., Tuesday, March 25, 1975.