THIRTY-FIFTH DAY

Thursday, March 16, 1989

The Senate of the Fifteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1989, convened at 11:40 o'clock a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Chaplain Johnnie D. Ward, Captain, Headquarters 15th Air Base Wing (PACAF), Hickam Air Force Base, after which the Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senator Cobb who was excused.

The President announced that he had read and approved the Journal of the Thirty-Fourth Day.

The following introductions were then made to the members of the Senate:

Senator Matsuura, on behalf of Senators Solomon, Levin and himself, introduced Mr. Bob Bethea, president of the Big Island Business Council, and his associate, Mr. Alan Konishi, a former Senate staff member.

Senator A. Kobayashi introduced the group of participants of the Family Community Leadership program, seated in the gallery, accompanied by Ms. Charlotte Muraoka, co-chair of the program. Senator Kobayashi noted that the participants "take the time to spend the whole day at the Legislature to learn about the legislative process and 'shadow' their assigned legislator." The following individuals were then introduced by their respective Senators:

Senator Crozier - Sheila Awai of Kalamoula, Molokai; Senator Tungpalan - Edwina Kaio of Waipahu, Oahu; Senator Reed - Charlotte Fraser of Kihei, Maui; Senator Hagino - Gladys Cachola of Molokai; Senator George - Marty McHenry of Koloa, Kauai; Senator McCartney - Isebel Lassa of Lanai; Senator McCartney - Isebel Lassa of Lanai; Senator Yamasaki - Pauahi Ackerman; Senator Koki - Shirley Wilson and Paulita Mahilum of the Big Island; Senator Chang - Margaret Simpson and Suki Smaglik of Oahu; Senator A. Kobayashi -Elroy Malo, accompanied by Takeo Nakamoto and Douglas Kimura; Senator Levin - Henry Lee.

Senator Ikeda introduced Mrs. Jean Young, coordinator of the Family Community Leadership program, "who has been working with the groups from its inception and who's done an extremely terrific job and deserves recognition."

Senator Menor then introduced Lynette Akiyama, student "shadow" from Wheeler Intermediate School.

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATION

Dept. Com. No. 37 from the Hawaii Labor Relations Board, transmitting HLRB Information Bulletin No. 26, dated March 6, 1989, providing, by employing jurisdictions, the number of public employees included in each of the 13 collective bargaining units established by Section 89-6(a), HRS, was read by the Clerk and was placed on file.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 49 to 63) were read by the Clerk and were referred to committee:

Senate Concurrent Resolution

No. 49 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIARY TO PROVIDE A SEPARATE AREA FOR CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICE WORKERS IN FAMILY COURT."

Offered by: Senators McMurdo, Blair, Chang, Cobb, George, Hagino, Holt, Kobayashi, A., Levin, Matsuura, McCartney, Mizuguchi, Nakasato, Yamasaki.

Referred to: Committee on Judiciary

No. 50 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONSIDER THE ECONOMIC IMPACT AND THE EFFECT ON HOUSING PRICES OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE RULES CONCERNING CESSPOOL ELIMINATION."

Offered by: Senator Levin.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Health

No. 51 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING AN ASSESSMENT OF CHILDREN'S SOCIAL SKILLS AND CONCERNS."

Offered by: Senator Levin.

Referred to: Committee on Education

No. 52 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO REPORT TO THE 1989 LEGISLATURE THEIR PROPOSED EXPANSION AND **IMPROVEMENTS** FOR HONOKOHAU HARBOR, KONA, HAWAII."

Offered by: Senators Levin, Solomon.

Referred to: Committee on Tourism, Recreation and Planning

No. 53 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING RESEARCH INTO PHOTOVOLTAIC ENERGY."

Offered by: Senators Levin, Matsuura.

Referred to: Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

No. 54 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY TO CONSIDER THE FEASIBILITY OF TRANSFERRING MANAGEMENT RESPONSIBILITIES WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES."

Offered by: Senator Levin.

Referred to: Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

No. 55 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A PLAN ON THE FEASIBILITY OF REIMPLEMENTING THE HAWAII STATE FOREST RANGERS CORPS." Offered by: Senator Levin.

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No. 56 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE SCHOOL OF HAWAIIAN, ASIAN, AND PACIFIC STUDIES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO REVIEW REQUIREMENTS IMPOSED ON APPLICANTS FOR HAWAIIAN HOMES TO PROVE THAT THEY ARE FIFTY PER CENT HAWAIIAN."

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Offered by: Senator Levin.

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No. 58 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO REPORT ON SAVINGS THAT COULD BE REALIZED IF NEW SCHOOLS WERE CONSTRUCTED ALL AT ONCE RATHER THAN INCREMENTALLY."

Offered by: Senator Levin.

Referred to: Committee on Education

No. 59 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A PROPOSAL TO ADDRESS THE SPECIFIC NEEDS AND PROBLEMS OF ELDERLY DRIVERS."

Offered by: Senator Levin.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Transportation

No. 60 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO DETERMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF USING VOLUNTEER AND OTHER HELP IN PRESERVING WATERSHED AREAS."

Offered by: Senator Levin.

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No. 61 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO DETERMINE THE EFFECTS OF SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION ON THE LEARNING PROCESS."

Offered by: Senator Levin.

Referred to: Committee on Education

No. 62 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO DETERMINE POSSIBLE FUNDING FOR WATER FACILITIES IN CATCHMENT AREAS."

Offered by: Senator Levin.

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STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Senator Ikeda, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 938) recommending that H.B. No. 1867 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Ikeda, seconded by Senator Solomon and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1867, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LOANS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER OF THE DAY

RE-REFERRAL OF SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The President re-referred the following Senate resolutions that were offered:

Senate Concurrent Resolution Referred to:

No. 41 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

Senate Resolution Referred to:

No. 44 Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

RE-REFERRAL OF HOUSE BILLS

The President re-referred the following House bills that were received:

House Bill Referred to:

No. 45, H.D. 2 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 148, H.D. 1 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary

No. 551, H.D. 1 Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Judiciary

No. 571, H.D. 1 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary

No. 574, H.D. 2 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary

No. 1701, H.D. 2 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

At this time, Senator Menor, chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, requested a waiver of the 48-hour Notice of a Public Hearing on H.B. No. 1701, H.D. 2, and the Chair granted the waiver.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:56 o'clock a.m., on motion by Senator Blair, seconded by Senator Reed and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m., Friday, March 17, 1989.

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