TWENTY-THIRD DAY

Wednesday, February 23, 1994

The Senate of the Seventeenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1994, convened at 11:32 o'clock a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by the Reverend John B. Connell, St. Barnabas' Episcopal Church, after which the Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senators Holt, Koki and Nakasato who were excused.

The President announced that he had read and approved the Journal of the Twenty-Second Day.

Senator Matsunaga introduced representatives from the board of the Waikiki Rough Water Swim. The guests were presented leis by various Senators.

At 11:40 o'clock a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:42 o'clock a.m.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 156 to 176) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Gov. Msg. No. 156, dated January 19, 1994, transmitting a Report to the Legislature prepared by the Department of Human Services and the Department of the Attorney General, Child Support Enforcement Agency in response to Act 289, Section 57, SLH 1993, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 157, dated February 4, 1994, transmitting the 1993 Annual Report of the Hale Kokua Homeless Project, prepared by the Hawaii Housing Authority pursuant to Act 279, SLH 1992, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 158, dated February 4, 1994, transmitting the report "Housing Strategies and Services for the Homeless Mentally Ill," prepared by the Hawaii Housing Authority in response to H.C.R. No. 305 (1993), was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 159, dated February 4, 1994, transmitting the "Boating and Ocean Recreation Permit Requirements" brochure, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism with the cooperation of the Department of Land and Natural Resources, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 160, dated February 4, 1994, transmitting the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report of the State of Hawaii for the Fiscal Year ended June 30, 1993, prepared by the Department of Accounting and General Services pursuant to Section 40-5, HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 161, dated February 8, 1994, transmitting the report "Survey of Tax and Financial Incentives to Stimulate Recycling Activity and Business Development," prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism pursuant to H.C.R. No. 63 (1993), was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 162, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Chairperson, Hawaii Paroling Authority, the nomination of CLAUDIO R. SUYAT, term to expire

June 30, 1997, was referred to the Committee on Executive Appointments.

Gov. Msg. No. 163, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Convention Center Authority, the nominations of DONALD M. TAKAKI and ALTON KUIOKA, terms to expire June 30, 1996, was referred to the Committee on Executive Appointments.

Gov. Msg. No. 164, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawaii Hurricane Relief Fund, the nominations of: HARRIET AOKI and JAMES STONE, terms to expire June 30, 1995; and JANIS C. AKUNA, JOSEPH KEIFER and WAYNE J. YAMASAKI, terms to expire June 30, 1997, was referred to the Committee on Executive Appointments.

Gov. Msg. No. 165, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Kahoolawe Island Reserve Commission, the nominations of: KEITH W. AHUE, term to expire December 31, 1994; BRIAN MISKAE and CRAIG NEFF, terms to expire June 30, 1995; COLETTE Y. MACHADO and NALANI KANAKAOLE, terms to expire June 30, 1996; and NOA EMMETT A. ALULI and A. FRENCHY DESOTO, terms to expire June 30, 1997, was referred to the Committee on Executive Appointments.

Gov. Msg. No. 166, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Council on Mental Health, the nominations of: MARTHA BURT and LEONARD P. PARESA JR., terms to expire June 30, 1995; GARY L. BLAICH, TONA DONIGAN, DWAYNE IKEDA and ERIC B. ROLSETH, terms to expire June 30, 1996; and GABRIELLE B. BATZER and JOHN L. NOLAND, terms to expire June 30, 1997, was referred to the Committee on Executive Appointments.

Gov. Msg. No. 167, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board, the nomination of MILTON H. KAKAIO, term to expire June 30, 1996, was referred to the Committee on Executive Appointments.

Gov. Msg. No. 168, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Natural Area Reserves System Commission, the nominations of: ANN H. FIELDING and FRANK A. TRUSDELL, terms to expire June 30, 1994; DONALD W. REESER, term to expire June 30, 1996; DEBORAH L. CHANG and STANLEY YASUDA, terms to expire June 30, 1997; and ANN H. FIELDING, STEVEN LEE MONTGOMERY and FRANK A. TRUSDELL, terms to expire June 30, 1998, was referred to the Committee on Executive Appointments.

Gov. Msg. No. 169, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Statewide Independent Living Council, the nominations of: LEONARD C. ALMIRON, BOB ROBERT E. COOLIDGE, BERNADETTE FRANKS-ONGOY, JENNIFER LEE and FLORENCE LERBACK, terms to expire June 30, 1994; KATHLEEN HOLDEN, LINDA MAEDA, ANDREW NAKAGAWA, JULIETTE PASION and LESLIE K. TAWATA, terms to expire June 30, 1995; CLARKE HALONA FARDEN, DOROTHY NANI FIFE, LESLIE E. KELLY, JAN Y. KUNIYOSHI, YVONNE A. LUM, MARK T. OBATAKE, GAIL A. ONOUE-MORIKAWA and STANLEY H. PARNELL, JR., terms to expire June 30, 1996; and LEONARD C. ALMIRON, BOB CHOW, ROBERT E. COOLIDGE, **BERNADETTE** FRANKS-ONGOY. JENNIFER LEE and FLORENCE LERBACK, terms to

expire June 30, 1997, was referred to the Committee on Executive Appointments.

Gov. Msg. No. 170, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Advisory Council on Rehabilitation, the nominations of: NALINI BLUMER-BUELL, TONY COLORETTI, JEAN MOORE, MARK OBATAKE, VICKIE SCHOONOVER and WALLY SOARES, terms to expire June 30, 1994; GERALD DEOREO, ROBERT P. HORWATH, SUSAN M. KLOPOTEK, DONALD J. MACK, KIRBY SHAW and HILDA TORRES, terms to expire June 30, 1995; MARIANNE CHUNG, MARK FRATZKE, WAYNE KISHIDA, LAURA ROBERTSON, BETTY J. SESTAK, GARY L. SMITH and DONN J. TAKAHASHI, terms to expire June 30, 1996; and NALINI BLUMER-BUELL, TONY COLORETTI, JEAN MOORE, MARK OBATAKE, VICKIE SCHOONOVER and WALLY SOARES, terms to expire June 30, 1997, was referred to the Committee on Executive Appointments.

Gov. Msg. No. 171, submitting for consideration and consent to the Intermediate Appellate Court, the nomination of SIMEON R. ACOBA, JR. for Associate Judge, in accordance with the provisions of Article VI, Section 3, of the Hawaii State Constitution, for a term of ten years, was referred to the Committee on Executive Appointments.

Gov. Msg. No. 172, submitting for consideration and consent to the Circuit Court of the First Circuit, the nomination of RICHARD K. PERKINS for 8th Judge, in accordance with the provisions of Article VI, Section 3, of the Hawaii State Constitution, for a term of ten years, was referred to the Committee on Executive Appointments.

Gov. Msg. No. 173, submitting for consideration and consent to the Circuit Court of the First Circuit, the nomination of COLLEEN K. HIRAI for 20th Judge, in accordance with the provisions of Article VI, Section 3, of the Hawaii State Constitution, for a term of ten years, was referred to the Committee on Executive Appointments.

Gov. Msg. No. 174, submitting for consideration and consent to the Circuit Court of the First Circuit, the nomination of DAN T. KOCHI for 21st Judge, in accordance with the provisions of Article VI, Section 3, of the Hawaii State Constitution, for a term of ten years, was referred to the Committee on Executive Appointments.

Gov. Msg. No. 175, submitting for consideration and consent to the Circuit Court of the Third Circuit, the nomination of GREG K. NAKAMURA for 1st Judge, in accordance with the provisions of Article VI, Section 3, of the Hawaii State Constitution, for a term of ten years, was referred to the Committee on Executive Appointments.

Gov. Msg. No. 176, submitting for consideration and consent to the Circuit Court of the First Circuit, the nomination of DEXTER DEAN DEL ROSARIO for 13th Judge, in accordance with the provisions of Article VI, Section 3, of the Hawaii State Constitution, for a term of ten years, was referred to the Committee on Executive Appointments.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 29 to 44) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 29, transmitting H.B. No. 85, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 22, 1994, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Chang, seconded by Senator George and carried, H.B. No. 85, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUCTIONS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 30, transmitting H.B. No. 1590, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 22, 1994, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Chang, seconded by Senator George and carried, H.B. No. 1590, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Hse. Com. No. 31, transmitting H.B. No. 1649, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 22, 1994, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Chang, seconded by Senator George and carried, H.B. No. 1649, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICES FOR PERSONS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES OR MENTAL RETARDATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary.

Hse. Com. No. 32, transmitting H.B. No. 2286, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 22, 1994, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Chang, seconded by Senator George and carried, H.B. No. 2286, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Hse. Com. No. 33, transmitting H.B. No. 2317, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 22, 1994, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Chang, seconded by Senator George and carried, H.B. No. 2317, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARENTAGE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Hse. Com. No. 34, transmitting H.B. No. 2320, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 22, 1994, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Chang, seconded by Senator George and carried, H.B. No. 2320, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PATERNITY." passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Hse. Com. No. 35, transmitting H.B. No. 2322, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 22, 1994, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Chang, seconded by Senator George and carried, H.B. No. 2322, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ATTORNEYS' FEES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Hse. Com. No. 36, transmitting H.B. No. 2326, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 22, 1994, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Chang, seconded by Senator George and carried, H.B. No. 2326, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JURISDICTIONAL LIMIT OF THE DISTRICT COURTS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Hse. Com. No. 37, transmitting H.B. No. 2975, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 22, 1994, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Chang, seconded by Senator George and carried, H.B. No. 2975, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT PROBATION RECORDS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Hse. Com. No. 38, transmitting H.B. No. 2981, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 22, 1994, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Chang, seconded by Senator George and carried, H.B. No. 2981, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SETTING OF BAIL," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Hse. Com. No. 39, transmitting H.B. No. 2985, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 22, 1994, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Chang, seconded by Senator George and carried, H.B. No. 2985, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABUSE OF FAMILY AND HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Hse. Com. No. 40, transmitting H.B. No. 2986, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 22, 1994, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Chang, seconded by Senator George and carried, H.B. No. 2986, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOTICE OF ADOPTION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Hse. Com. No. 41, transmitting H.B. No. 2989, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 22, 1994, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Chang, seconded by Senator George and carried, H.B. No. 2989, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIAL CIRCUITS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Hse. Com. No. 42, transmitting H.B. No. 3180, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 22, 1994, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Chang, seconded by Senator George and carried, H.B. No. 3180, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL SERVICES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Labor and Employment.

Hse. Com. No. 43, transmitting H.B. No. 3201, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 22, 1994, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Chang, seconded by Senator George and carried, H.B. No. 3201, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTER

REGISTRATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Hse. Com. No. 44, transmitting H.B. No. 3675, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 22, 1994, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Chang, seconded by Senator George and carried, H.B. No. 3675, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECOVERY COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH HURRICANE INIKI," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 56 to 58) were read by the Clerk and were referred to committees:

Senate Concurrent Resolution

No. 56 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO NAME THE 'HALEIWA BYPASS' IN HONOR OF THE LATE REPRESENTATIVE JOSEPH P. LEONG."

Offered by: Senator Hagino.

Referred to: Committee on Transportation

No. 57 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO APPOINT A TASK FORCE AND REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE ON ITS PLAN TO ADDRESS DEFICIENCIES IN ITS FISCAL MANAGEMENT AS REPORTED BY THE AUDITOR."

Offered by: Senators Ikeda, Aki, Baker, Chang, Fernandes Salling, Fukunaga, George, Graulty, Hagino, Holt, Iwase, Kanno, Kobayashi, A., Kobayashi, B., Koki, Levin, Matsunaga, Matsuura, McCartney, Mizuguchi, Nakasato, Reed, Solomon, Tanaka, Tungpalan.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 58 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXPRESSING LEGISLATIVE SUPPORT FOR THE EXPANSION OF THE FOOD SAFETY CONSULTATIVE AND EDUCATION PROGRAM OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH."

Offered by: Senator Kobayashi, A.

Referred to: Committee on Health

SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (S.R. Nos. 45 and 46) were read by the Clerk and were referred to committees:

Senate Resolution

No. 45 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO NAME THE 'HALEIWA BYPASS' IN HONOR OF THE LATE REPRESENTATIVE JOSEPH P. LEONG."

Offered by: Senator Hagino.

Referred to: Committee on Transportation

No. 46 "SENATE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING LEGISLATIVE SUPPORT FOR THE EXPANSION OF THE FOOD SAFETY CONSULTATIVE AND EDUCATION PROGRAM OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH."

Offered by: Senator Kobayashi, A.

Referred to: Committee on Health

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Senator Ikeda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2200) recommending that S.B. No. 2967, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Ikeda, seconded by Senator Hagino and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2967, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CIGARETTE AND TOBACCO TAX LAW." passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, March 3, 1994.

ORDER OF THE DAY

MATTERS DEFERRED FROM TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1994

THIRD READING

S.B. No. 2366:

On motion by Senator Ikeda, seconded by Senator Hagino and carried, S.B. No. 2366, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE TAX," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 21. Noes, none. Excused, 4 (Holt, Koki, Nakasato, Reed).

S.B. No. 3047:

On motion by Senator Ikeda, seconded by Senator Hagino and carried, S.B. No. 3047, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPOSITS OF PUBLIC FUNDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 21. Noes, none. Excused, 4 (Holt, Koki, Nakasato, Reed).

S.B. No. 2965:

On motion by Senator Ikeda, seconded by Senator Hagino and carried, S.B. No. 2965, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A STATE GENERATION-SKIPPING TRANSFER TAX," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 21. Noes, none. Excused, 4 (Holt, Koki, Nakasato, Reed).

S.B. No. 2974:

On motion by Senator Ikeda, seconded by Senator Hagino and carried, S.B. No. 2974, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A TAX ADMINISTRATION FUND," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 21. Noes, none. Excused, 4 (Holt, Koki, Nakasato, Reed).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1851 (S.B. No. 2160, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Graulty, seconded by Senator Matsunaga and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1851 was adopted and S.B. No. 2160, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 21. Noes, none. Excused, 4 (Holt, Koki, Nakasato, Reed).

S.B. No. 2913, S.D. 1:

Senator Ikeda moved that S.B. No. 2913, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Hagino.

Senator Matsunaga requested a ruling from the Chair as follows:

"Mr. President, I would like a ruling on a potential conflict of interest. My law firm represents Bank of Hawaii and they also represent other parties who are on this list."

The Chair ruled that Senator Matsunaga was not in

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 2913, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLAIMS ON WARRANTS NOT PRESENTED AND PROVIDING APPROPRIATIONS THEREFOR," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 21. Noes, none. Excused, 4 (Holt, Koki, Nakasato, Reed).

S.B. No. 2963:

On motion by Senator Ikeda, seconded by Senator Hagino and carried, S.B. No. 2963, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMITY TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 21. Noes, none. Excused, 4 (Holt, Koki, Nakasato, Reed).

S.B. No. 556, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Graulty, seconded by Senator Matsunaga and carried, S.B. No. 556, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROSTITUTION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 21. Noes, none. Excused, 4 (Holt, Koki, Nakasato, Reed).

RE-REFERRAL OF SENATE BILL

The President re-referred the following Senate bill that was introduced:

Senate Bill Referred to:

No. 3209 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means

MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATION

Misc. Com. No. 3, from the Hawaiian Sovereignty Advisory Commission, dated February 19, 1994, transmitting the Commission's Final Report detailing the Commission's work and recommendations to the Legislature, was read by the Clerk and was placed on file.

Senator Solomon rose on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"Mr. President, there was an article in the paper, 'Islanders support Hawaiian cause.' This is in reference to the issue of Hawaiian sovereignty. It's not too often that I've stood on this floor and agreed with the newspaper, but in this case I'm very pleased with the fact that the poll did turn out like it did. I think that the majority, not only non-Hawaiians, but Hawaiians alike, would like to see some resolution of the whole issue of sovereignty happen within the existing government. I think that this has been the posture of many of our Senate resolutions, as well as bills, i.e., to look for some solutions within the existing governmental system. And as you know, Mr. President, only the Federal Government can settle the issue of sovereignty as it relates to the Hawaiian people throughout the State of Hawaii.

"The interesting points are those that were made on the issue of the beach, as to whether or not Hawaiians have a special right to use the beach for camping, or protesting, or whatever it may be. The poll indicates that many Hawaiians felt that they had no special right.

"I know that there has been a lot of concern about this, especially as it relates to Waikiki and the whole issue of tourism. Mr. President, I would just like to remind all of us here that in this great country of ours people do have a right to protest, and that the Hawaiians do enjoy those same rights, and I'm happy to say that at least the movement has been non-violent. I was very pleased of the news media and that those tourists that were interviewed did not feel intimidated. As a matter of fact, they felt quite sympathetic to the Hawaiian cause and Hawaiian movement.

"I'm hoping, Mr. President, that in this session, the Hawaiian bill will move over from the House. I thought it was a wise decision on the part of the chairman of the Senate committee, when it was decided to let the House move the bill, because, last year the Senate took the lead on the whole issue of sovereignty and I was, not disappointed, but unhappy as to how the sovereignty commission came about with their recommendations. I'm hoping that we can figure out a way to bring all the Hawaiian groups together so they can come up with a way to move this whole movement forward, and that the Hawaiian community will start to focus more of its efforts toward the Federal Government and try to really look at the State of Hawaii as being more of a helper in dealing with the issues in reference to the Federal Government and Hawaiian sovereignty.

"So with that, Mr. President, I would urge my colleagues, if they haven't done so, to please read the article in the paper. If you don't have one, I'll be very happy to send a copy to your office because I think the information is revealing, in that it does support the silent majority's position on this issue. Thank you."

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:52 o'clock a.m., on motion by Senator Chang, seconded by Senator George and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m., Thursday, March 3, 1994.