

THIRTY-THIRD DAY

Friday, March 15, 1996

The Senate of the Eighteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1996, convened at 11:35 o'clock a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by the Reverend Pam Vessels, First Christian Church, after which the Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senator Holt who was excused.

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

Senator Solomon introduced Albert Kahukula Ne, Jr., and congratulated him on his retirement from Young Brothers Limited. Mr. Ne was then presented a lei and a Senate certificate of recognition.

At 11:43 o'clock a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:52 o'clock a.m.

HOUSE COMMUNICATION

Hse. Com. No. 420, returning S.B. No. 837, S.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 14, 1996, in an amended form, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 837, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION AND AUTHORIZING ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF INTEGRATED BIOMASS TO ENERGY SYSTEMS," was deferred until Friday, March 22, 1996.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 202 to 234) were read by the Clerk and were referred to committees:

Senate Concurrent Resolution

No. 202 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COMPTROLLER TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO IDENTIFY, AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING THE ELIMINATION OF INSTITUTIONAL AND LEGAL BARRIERS TO THE CREATION OF PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS TO CONSTRUCT PUBLIC FACILITIES."

Offered by: Senator Chumbley.

Referred to: Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 203 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO CONDUCT A STUDY REGARDING THE STATEWIDE CONVERSION OF OVERHEAD TO UNDERGROUND UTILITY FACILITIES."

Offered by: Senator Fukunaga.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Communications and Public Utilities and the Committee

on Transportation and Government Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 204 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONVENE AN INTERAGENCY BULKHEAD TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP AN INTEGRATED WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT PLAN."

Offered by: Senators McCartney, Kawamoto, Ige.

Referred to: Committee on Planning, Land and Water Use Management, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 205 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF BUS TRANSPORTATION."

Offered by: Senator Aki.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 206 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIRECTORS OF ALL STATE DEPARTMENTS TO PREPARE STUDIES ON THE REDUCTION OF STATE REGULATIONS."

Offered by: Senator Aki.

Referred to: Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 207 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A PLAN TO RESTORE THE KANEANA (MAKUA) CAVE SITE ON OAHU."

Offered by: Senator Aki.

Referred to: Committee on Tourism and Recreation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 208 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION CREATE A TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP AN ENFORCEMENT PROGRAM, UTILIZING VOLUNTEERS TO PATROL AND TICKET ILLEGALLY PARKED VEHICLES IN SPACES DESIGNATED FOR THE SOLE USE OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES."

Offered by: Senator Fernandes Salling, by request.

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

No. 209 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO DETERMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING REGIONAL SPORTS PLAYING FIELDS ON THE KOHALA COAST OF THE BIG ISLAND."

Offered by: Senators Solomon, Tanaka, Kawamoto, Bunda, Anderson, Grauly, Aki, Chumbley, Fernandes Salling, Fukunaga, Ige, Taniguchi.

Referred to: Committee on Tourism and Recreation

No. 210 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A FEASIBILITY STUDY ON ESTABLISHING A PREPAID POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION TUITION PROGRAM."

Offered by: Senators Solomon, Kawamoto, Ihara, Bunda, Matsunaga, Fukunaga, Tanaka, Matsuura, Anderson, Taniguchi, Baker.

Referred to: Committee on Higher Education, Culture, and Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 211 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY TO DETERMINE THE MOST EFFECTIVE ADMINISTRATIVE PLACEMENT OF THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON AGING."

Offered by: Senator Mizuguchi.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 212 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A RELATIONSHIP OF FRIENDSHIP AND PEACE THROUGH EDUCATION AND OTHER MEASURES BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII AND THE PREFECTURE OF HIROSHIMA, JAPAN."

Offered by: Senators Mizuguchi, Taniguchi, Anderson, Baker, Bunda, Chumbley, Fukunaga, Grauly, Holt, Ige, Ihara, Ikeda, Iwase, Kanno, Kawamoto, Levin, Matsunaga, Matsuura, McCartney, Solomon, Tam, Tanaka.

Referred to: Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs

No. 213 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A WAR MEMORIAL COMMISSION TO STUDY ALTERNATIVE PLANS FOR THE RESTORATION OF THE WAIKIKI WAR MEMORIAL NATATORIUM."

Offered by: Senator Fukunaga, by request.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs and the Committee on Tourism and Recreation

No. 214 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII BOARD OF REGENTS, AND THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII PRESIDENT TO RE-VISIT THE FEASIBILITY OF TUITION WAIVERS FOR THE NATIONAL GUARD."

Offered by: Senators Kawamoto, Ige, Mizuguchi.

Referred to: Committee on Higher Education, Culture, and Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 215 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO URGE THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE TO MAINTAIN ITS POST OF DUTY IN PEARL CITY."

Offered by: Senators Kawamoto, Ige, Kanno, Iwase, Mizuguchi, Chumbley.

Referred to: Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs

No. 216 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP MORE EFFICIENT PROCEDURES FOR MAINTAINING DISCIPLINE ON SCHOOL CAMPUSES AND ENSURING COMPLIANCE WITH THE COMPULSORY EDUCATION LAW."

Offered by: Senators Kawamoto, Chumbley, McCartney, Tam.

Referred to: Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary

No. 217 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING PARENTAL COOPERATION IN DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION."

Offered by: Senator Matsuura.

Referred to: Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary

No. 218 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATURE TO VOTE TO EXTEND THE SESSION TO ALLOW SIX DAYS' NOTICE OF HEARINGS."

Offered by: Senator Tam.

Referred to: Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 219 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF TAXATION TO ORDER SPECIAL AUDITS OF THE TAX RETURNS OF CERTAIN STATE AND COUNTY EMPLOYEES."

Offered by: Senator Tam.

Referred to: Committee on Agriculture, Labor, and Employment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 220 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN, SHORT-TERM OR LONG-TERM, ON ITS OWN OR THROUGH A TASK FORCE, TO REDUCE THE STUDENT-TEACHER RATIO TO NOT MORE THAN TWENTY STUDENTS TO ONE TEACHER."

Offered by: Senator Tam.

Referred to: Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 221 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO EXAMINE ALTERNATIVES TO INCREASE ENERGY EFFICIENCY IN STATE BUILDINGS."

Offered by: Senator Levin.

Referred to: Committee on Economic Development, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 222 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO DETERMINE THE IMPACT OF THE JANUARY 1, 1996, WORKERS' COMPENSATION FEE SCHEDULE ON PROVIDERS OF TREATMENT AND SERVICES."

Offered by: Senator Levin.

Referred to: Committee on Agriculture, Labor, and Employment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 223 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO WAIVE LANDING FEES AT KEAHOLE-KONA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT FOR NON-PASSENGER CARGO PLANES THAT ARE FLYING AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS FROM HILO AND OTHER NEIGHBOR ISLANDS, AND REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO WORK WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO MONITOR DIVERSIFIED AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS EXPORTED FROM KEAHOLE-KONA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE LANDING FEE WAIVER HAS A POSITIVE IMPACT ON EXPORT AND EXPANSION OF DIVERSIFIED AGRICULTURE."

Offered by: Senator Levin.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, Labor, and Employment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 224 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PRESIDENT AND THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO GRANT AN EXEMPTION FROM THE COASTWISE LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES TO PERMIT FOREIGN-REGISTERED LIVESTOCK CARRIERS TO ENGAGE IN THE INTERSTATE TRANSPORTATION OF LIVESTOCK BETWEEN DOMESTIC PORTS IN THE HAWAII TRADE PROVIDING NO COMPARABLE DOMESTIC LIVESTOCK CARRIERS ARE REASONABLY AVAILABLE AND BEING OFFERED FOR SERVICE."

Offered by: Senators Anderson, Kawamoto, Fernandes Salling.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, Labor, and Employment

No. 225 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC INDUSTRIES, INC. AND THE HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC COMPANY TO PROVIDE A WRITTEN REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE DETAILING THE STEPS THEY HAVE TAKEN TO IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS SET FORTH IN THE THOMAS REPORT."

Offered by: Senator Fukunaga.

Referred to: Committee on Communications and Public Utilities

No. 226 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING FAMILY COURT JUDGES TO CONSIDER NOT ONLY ACTS OF PHYSICAL HARM BUT THREATS OF IMMINENT PHYSICAL HARM IN GRANTING TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDERS IN DOMESTIC VIOLENCE CASES."

Offered by: Senators Grauly, Ikeda, Levin, Anderson, Matsuura, Tanaka.

Referred to: Committee on Judiciary

No. 227 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING HAWAII YOUTH ATHLETIC LEAGUES TO VOLUNTARILY ADOPT A POLICY DISCOURAGING

TOBACCO AND ALCOHOL USE BY COACHES AND PARENTS DURING LEAGUE PRACTICES AND GAMES."

Offered by: Senators Kanno, Levin.

Referred to: Committee on Health

No. 228 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII VISITORS BUREAU TO CONSIDER ESTABLISHING A VISITOR/VICTIM CRIME EFFECTS MITIGATION PROGRAM."

Offered by: Senator Matsunaga.

Referred to: Committee on Tourism and Recreation, then to the Committee on Judiciary

No. 229 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO INSTITUTE A PUBLIC EDUCATION PROGRAM REGARDING SAFE DRINKING WATER."

Offered by: Senator Matsunaga.

Referred to: Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 230 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION TO INCLUDE RENEWABLE ENERGY PORTFOLIO STANDARDS WITHIN THE INTEGRATED RESOURCE PLANNING REQUIREMENTS OF THE ELECTRIC UTILITIES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII."

Offered by: Senators Matsunaga, Fukunaga.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Communications and Public Utilities and the Committee on Economic Development

No. 231 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII STATE STUDENT COUNCIL TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO REVIEW THE APPROPRIATENESS OF THE METHODS USED TO SELECT DISTRICT STUDENT COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES, HAWAII STATE STUDENT COUNCIL MEMBERS, AND THE STUDENT MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION."

Offered by: Senators Ihara, Chumbley.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 232 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO REVIEW LEGISLATION AND ADMINISTRATIVE RULES IN OTHER STATES AND THEIR POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS THAT ADDRESS NOISE REDUCTION FROM CONSTRUCTION PILE DRIVING ACTIVITIES."

Offered by: Senators Fukunaga, Ihara, Taniguchi.

Referred to: Committee on Ecology and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 233 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF RESTRUCTURING HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES."

Offered by: Senator Ihara.

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

No. 234 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO AMEND CHAPTER 8-39, HAWAII ADMINISTRATIVE RULES, TO RECOVER THE OPERATING COSTS FOR COMMUNITY USE OF SCHOOL FACILITIES."

Offered by: Senator Ige.

Referred to: Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (S.R. Nos. 160 to 192) were read by the Clerk and were referred to committees:

Senate Resolution

No. 160 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COMPTROLLER TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO IDENTIFY, AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING THE ELIMINATION OF INSTITUTIONAL AND LEGAL BARRIERS TO THE CREATION OF PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS TO CONSTRUCT PUBLIC FACILITIES."

Offered by: Senator Chumbley.

Referred to: Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 161 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO CONDUCT A STUDY REGARDING THE STATEWIDE CONVERSION OF OVERHEAD TO UNDERGROUND UTILITY FACILITIES."

Offered by: Senator Fukunaga.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Communications and Public Utilities and the Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 162 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONVENE AN INTERAGENCY BULKHEAD TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP AN INTEGRATED WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT PLAN."

Offered by: Senators McCartney, Kawamoto, Ige.

Referred to: Committee on Planning, Land and Water Use Management, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 163 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF BUS TRANSPORTATION."

Offered by: Senator Aki.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 164 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIRECTORS OF ALL STATE DEPARTMENTS TO PREPARE STUDIES ON THE REDUCTION OF STATE REGULATIONS."

Offered by: Senator Aki.

Referred to: Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 165 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A PLAN TO RESTORE THE KANEANA (MAKUA) CAVE SITE ON OAHU."

Offered by: Senator Aki.

Referred to: Committee on Tourism and Recreation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 166 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION CREATE A TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP AN ENFORCEMENT PROGRAM, UTILIZING VOLUNTEERS TO PATROL AND TICKET ILLEGALLY PARKED VEHICLES IN SPACES DESIGNATED FOR THE SOLE USE OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES."

Offered by: Senator Fernandes Salling, by request.

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

No. 167 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO DETERMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING REGIONAL SPORTS PLAYING FIELDS ON THE KOHALA COAST OF THE BIG ISLAND."

Offered by: Senators Solomon, Tanaka, Kawamoto, Bunda, Anderson, Grauly, Aki, Chumbley, Fernandes Salling, Ige, Taniguchi.

Referred to: Committee on Tourism and Recreation

No. 168 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A FEASIBILITY STUDY ON ESTABLISHING A PREPAID POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION TUITION PROGRAM."

Offered by: Senators Solomon, Kawamoto, Ihara, Bunda, Matsunaga, Fukunaga, Tanaka, Matsuura, Anderson, Taniguchi, Baker.

Referred to: Committee on Higher Education, Culture, and Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 169 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY TO DETERMINE THE MOST EFFECTIVE ADMINISTRATIVE PLACEMENT OF THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON AGING."

Offered by: Senator Mizuguchi.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 170 "SENATE RESOLUTION APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A RELATIONSHIP OF FRIENDSHIP AND PEACE THROUGH EDUCATION AND OTHER MEASURES BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII AND THE PREFECTURE OF HIROSHIMA, JAPAN."

Offered by: Senators Mizuguchi, Taniguchi, Anderson, Baker, Bunda, Chumbley, Fukunaga, Grauly, Holt, Ige, Ihara, Ikeda, Iwase, Kanno, Kawamoto, Levin, Matsuura, McCartney, Solomon, Tam, Tanaka.

Referred to: Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs

No. 171 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A WAR MEMORIAL COMMISSION TO STUDY ALTERNATIVE PLANS FOR THE RESTORATION OF THE WAIKIKI WAR MEMORIAL NATATORIUM."

Offered by: Senator Fukunaga, by request.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs and the Committee on Tourism and Recreation

No. 172 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII BOARD OF REGENTS, AND THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII PRESIDENT TO REVISIT THE FEASIBILITY OF TUITION WAIVERS FOR THE NATIONAL GUARD."

Offered by: Senators Kawamoto, Ige, Mizuguchi.

Referred to: Committee on Higher Education, Culture, and Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 173 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO URGE THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE TO MAINTAIN ITS POST OF DUTY IN PEARL CITY."

Offered by: Senators Kawamoto, Ige, Kanno, Iwase, Mizuguchi, Chumbley.

Referred to: Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs

No. 174 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION TO CONVEINE A TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP MORE EFFICIENT PROCEDURES FOR MAINTAINING DISCIPLINE ON SCHOOL CAMPUSES AND ENSURING COMPLIANCE WITH THE COMPULSORY EDUCATION LAW."

Offered by: Senators Kawamoto, Chumbley, McCartney, Tam.

Referred to: Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary

No. 175 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING PARENTAL COOPERATION IN DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION."

Offered by: Senator Matsuura.

Referred to: Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary

No. 176 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATURE TO VOTE TO EXTEND THE SESSION TO ALLOW SIX DAYS' NOTICE OF HEARINGS."

Offered by: Senator Tam.

Referred to: Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 177 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF TAXATION TO ORDER SPECIAL AUDITS OF THE TAX RETURNS OF CERTAIN STATE AND COUNTY EMPLOYEES."

Offered by: Senator Tam.

Referred to: Committee on Agriculture, Labor, and Employment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 178 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN, SHORT-TERM OR LONG-TERM, ON ITS OWN OR THROUGH A TASK FORCE, TO REDUCE THE STUDENT-TEACHER RATIO TO NOT MORE THAN TWENTY STUDENTS TO ONE TEACHER."

Offered by: Senator Tam.

Referred to: Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 179 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO EXAMINE ALTERNATIVES TO INCREASE ENERGY EFFICIENCY IN STATE BUILDINGS."

Offered by: Senator Levin.

Referred to: Committee on Economic Development, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 180 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO DETERMINE THE IMPACT OF THE JANUARY 1, 1996, WORKERS' COMPENSATION FEE SCHEDULE ON PROVIDERS OF TREATMENT AND SERVICES."

Offered by: Senator Levin.

Referred to: Committee on Agriculture, Labor, and Employment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 181 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO WAIVE LANDING FEES AT KEAHOLE-KONA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT FOR NON-PASSENGER CARGO PLANES THAT ARE FLYING AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS FROM HILO AND OTHER NEIGHBOR ISLANDS, AND REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO WORK WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO MONITOR DIVERSIFIED AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS EXPORTED FROM KEAHOLE-KONA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE LANDING FEE WAIVER HAS A POSITIVE IMPACT ON EXPORT AND EXPANSION OF DIVERSIFIED AGRICULTURE."

Offered by: Senator Levin.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, Labor, and Employment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 182 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PRESIDENT AND THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO GRANT AN EXEMPTION FROM THE COASTWISE LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES TO PERMIT FOREIGN-REGISTERED LIVESTOCK CARRIERS TO ENGAGE IN THE INTERSTATE TRANSPORTATION OF LIVESTOCK BETWEEN DOMESTIC PORTS IN THE HAWAII TRADE PROVIDING NO COMPARABLE DOMESTIC LIVESTOCK CARRIERS ARE REASONABLY AVAILABLE AND BEING OFFERED FOR SERVICE."

Offered by: Senators Anderson, Kawamoto, Fernandes Salling.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, Labor, and Employment

No. 183 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC INDUSTRIES, INC. AND THE HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC COMPANY TO PROVIDE A WRITTEN REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE DETAILING THE STEPS THEY HAVE TAKEN TO IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS SET FORTH IN THE THOMAS REPORT."

Offered by: Senator Fukunaga.

Referred to: Committee on Communications and Public Utilities

No. 184 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING FAMILY COURT JUDGES TO CONSIDER NOT ONLY ACTS OF PHYSICAL HARM BUT THREATS OF IMMINENT PHYSICAL HARM IN GRANTING TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDERS IN DOMESTIC VIOLENCE CASES."

Offered by: Senators Grauly, Ikeda, Levin, Anderson, Matsuura, Tanaka.

Referred to: Committee on Judiciary

No. 185 "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING HAWAII YOUTH ATHLETIC LEAGUES TO VOLUNTARILY ADOPT A POLICY DISCOURAGING TOBACCO AND ALCOHOL USE BY COACHES AND PARENTS DURING LEAGUE PRACTICES AND GAMES."

Offered by: Senators Kanno, Levin.

Referred to: Committee on Health

No. 186 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII VISITORS BUREAU TO CONSIDER ESTABLISHING A VISITOR/VICTIM CRIME EFFECTS MITIGATION PROGRAM."

Offered by: Senator Matsunaga.

Referred to: Committee on Tourism and Recreation, then to the Committee on Judiciary

No. 187 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO INSTITUTE A PUBLIC EDUCATION PROGRAM REGARDING SAFE DRINKING WATER."

Offered by: Senator Matsunaga.

Referred to: Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 188 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION TO INCLUDE RENEWABLE ENERGY PORTFOLIO STANDARDS WITHIN THE INTEGRATED RESOURCE PLANNING REQUIREMENTS OF THE ELECTRIC UTILITIES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII."

Offered by: Senators Matsunaga, Fukunaga.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Communications and Public Utilities and the Committee on Economic Development

No. 189 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII STATE STUDENT COUNCIL TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO REVIEW THE APPROPRIATENESS

OF THE METHODS USED TO SELECT DISTRICT STUDENT COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES, HAWAII STATE STUDENT COUNCIL MEMBERS, AND THE STUDENT MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION."

Offered by: Senators Ihara, Chumbley.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 190 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO REVIEW LEGISLATION AND ADMINISTRATIVE RULES IN OTHER STATES AND THEIR POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS THAT ADDRESS NOISE REDUCTION FROM CONSTRUCTION PILE DRIVING ACTIVITIES."

Offered by: Senators Fukunaga, Ihara, Taniguchi.

Referred to: Committee on Ecology and Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 191 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF RESTRUCTURING HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES."

Offered by: Senator Ihara.

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

No. 192 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO AMEND CHAPTER 8-39, HAWAII ADMINISTRATIVE RULES, TO RECOVER THE OPERATING COSTS FOR COMMUNITY USE OF SCHOOL FACILITIES."

Offered by: Senator Ige.

Referred to: Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

ORDER OF THE DAY

REFERRAL OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of concurrent resolutions that were offered on Thursday, March 14, 1996:

Senate
Concurrent
Resolution Referred to:

No. 184 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary

No. 185 Committee on Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 186 Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, Labor, and Employment

No. 187 Committee on Communications and Public Utilities

No. 188 Committee on Ecology and Environmental Protection

- No. 189 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- No. 190 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs
- No. 191 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs
- No. 192 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- No. 193 Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- No. 194 Committee on Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- No. 195 Committee on Communications and Public Utilities
- No. 196 Committee on Education
- No. 197 Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and Recreation and the Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs
- No. 198 Committee on Economic Development, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- No. 199 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Housing
- No. 200 Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs
- No. 201 Committee on Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

REFERRAL OF SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of resolutions that were offered on Thursday, March 14, 1996:

- Senate Resolution** Referred to:
- No. 144 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary
 - No. 145 Committee on Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
 - No. 146 Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, Labor, and Employment
 - No. 147 Committee on Communications and Public Utilities
 - No. 148 Committee on Ecology and Environmental Protection
 - No. 149 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
 - No. 150 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs
 - No. 151 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs

- No. 152 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- No. 153 Committee on Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- No. 154 Committee on Communications and Public Utilities
- No. 155 Committee on Education
- No. 156 Committee on Economic Development, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- No. 157 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Housing
- No. 158 Committee on Transportation and Government Affairs
- No. 159 Committee on Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

RE-REFERRAL OF HOUSE BILL

The Chair re-referred the following House bill that was received:

- House Bill** Referred to:
- No. 3636 Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Agriculture, Labor, and Employment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

RECONSIDERATION OF ACTION TAKEN

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 833 (H.B. No. 1559):

Senator Levin moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on March 21, 1995, on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 833 and H.B. No. 1559, seconded by Senator Kanno.

Senator Levin explained:

"Mr. President, this is a broad-titled bill relating to health care. We intend to use it as a vehicle to deal with the issue of hospital autonomy. The present bill that we have refers to hospital corporations. We're not sure we want to go that route. If this motion passes, the hearing on this bill will be held on Monday, March 18."

The motion to reconsider the action was put by the Chair and carried.

On motion by Senator Levin, seconded by Senator Kanno and carried, H.B. No. 1559, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE," was recommitted to the Committee on Health.

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

"Mr. President, I want to rise on a point of personal privilege.

"There is an article in this morning's paper which deals with the issue of sovereignty. I really think that this is a very good article and I wanted to ask the members of the Senate for their approval to put this article into the Journal today.

"I won't read it because I think all of us can look at it later, but I'd like to thank the individual, Robert Keli'icho'omalu, whom I don't know but he comes from

Kaimu, Puna. And he wrote a very good article which I think is very timely and very to the point on the issue of sovereignty.

"So, if I may ask, Mr. President, can this article be included in today's Journal?"

The Chair responded:

"Certainly, your request is granted."

The article reads as follows:

"The Honolulu Advertiser
Friday, March 15, 1996

Plebiscite would create new agency, not nation

The Hawaii Sovereignty Elections Council has almost succeeded in finalizing the overthrow of 1893. The federal apology bill recognized that the Hawaiians never abrogated sovereignty by 'referendum or plebiscite.'

The state government rushed to enact legislation stealing the sovereignty process. The Native Hawaiian Vote being foisted upon an unaware electorate legitimizes the state theft: A 'no' vote relinquishes all future claims; a 'yes' vote creates a new state agency with no resources, land base or autonomy. So, you are 'damned if you do, damned if you don't.' The only vote here is a voided ballot or no vote at all.

Do not support the Hawaii Sovereignty Elections Council or the plebiscite Native Hawaiian Vote. Do not legitimize the state-controlled-sovereignty facade.

Millions have been spent registering, promoting and controlling the future of the kanaka maoli. Now the evils of gambling taint the process with the lure of untold riches. To the 'Boys' Club' in Honolulu I say, 'Shame on you!' Let the Hawaiians form a new nation, not a new state agency. Imua kakaou!

ROBERT KELI'IHO'OMAI
Kaimu, Puna"

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 235 to 289) were read by the Clerk and were deferred:

Senate Concurrent Resolution

No. 235 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO ADOPT AND USE ENVIRONMENTAL GOALS AND OBJECTIVES."

Offered by: Senator Tam.

No. 236 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT TO REVIEW AND UPDATE ALL CLASS SPECIFICATIONS AND POSITION DESCRIPTIONS."

Offered by: Senator Tam.

No. 237 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII VISITORS BUREAU AND THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO UTILIZE THE SERVICES OF NONPROFIT CULTURAL ASSOCIATIONS TO PROMOTE TOURISM."

Offered by: Senator Tam.

No. 238 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO REQUIRE ALL RESTAURANTS, DINING ROOMS, AND OTHER FOOD SERVICE ESTABLISHMENTS TO CLEAN THE DUCTS AND REPLACE THE FILTERS OF THEIR AIR CONDITIONING SYSTEMS ON A MORE FREQUENT BASIS."

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No. 239 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO REVIEW ALL STATE RESOURCES DEVOTED TO AUDITING."

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Offered by: Senators Grauly, Chumbley, McCartney, Matsuura, Tam.

No. 241 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO ESTABLISH MORE STRINGENT GROUNDWATER MONITORING GOALS."

Offered by: Senator Levin.

No. 242 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO FACILITATE AND PROMOTE THE USE OF VOLUNTEER GROUPS IN THE REPLANTING OF DESIGNATED ROADSIDE AREAS TO LOW GROWTH, LOW MAINTENANCE VEGETATION UNDER AN INTEGRATED VEGETATION MANAGEMENT (IVM) PROGRAM."

Offered by: Senator Levin.

No. 243 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO DEVELOP AND PROMOTE HEALTH TOURISM ON THE KOHALA COAST OF THE BIG ISLAND."

Offered by: Senators Tanaka, Solomon, Aki, Baker, Bunda, Fernandes Salling, Fukunaga, Grauly, Levin, Tam.

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No. 248 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN EXPLORATION OF THE ESTABLISHMENT OF POST-DOCTORAL PROGRAMS IN PSYCHOLOGY IN THE PRESCRIBING OF PSYCHOACTIVE MEDICATIONS."

Offered by: Senator Ihara.

No. 249 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR TO EXAMINE THE STATE CORRECTIONAL SYSTEM AND DETERMINE WHAT ASPECTS MAY BE EFFECTIVELY PRIVATIZED."

Offered by: Senators Fukunaga, Ihara.

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No. 258 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT AN INTERNATIONAL TECHNO-TOURISM POLICY TO MAKE HAWAII THE ASIA-PACIFIC REGION'S PREEMINENT CENTER FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY CONFERENCES."

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No. 259 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO STUDY THE ECONOMIC IMPACTS PLACED ON LOCAL BUSINESS RETAILERS BY 'BIG BOX RETAILERS.'"

Offered by: Senators Kawamoto, Matsunaga.

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Offered by: Senator Chumbley.

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Offered by: Senator Chumbley.

No. 263 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE OWNERS AND INSURERS OF KAUAI HOTELS CLOSED AS A RESULT OF HURRICANE INIKI MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO REOPEN THE HOTELS."

Offered by: Senator Fernandes Salling.

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Offered by: Senators Kanno, Aki, Anderson, Baker, Bunda, Chumbley, Fernandes Salling, Fukunaga, Graulty, Ihara, Ikeda, Iwase, Kawamoto, Levin, Liu, Matsunaga, Matsuura, McCartney, Mizuguchi, Solomon, Tam, Tanaka, Taniguchi.

No. 270 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AND DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO EXPAND AND ENHANCE THE HANAUMA BAY EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM."

Offered by: Senator Anderson.

No. 271 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING AN EXEMPTION FROM THE FEDERAL

LAWS OF CABOTAGE FOR BULK COMMODITIES, SUCH AS COAL AND COAL DERIVED FUELS, GYPSUM, WHEAT, SUGAR AND FERTILIZER."

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Offered by: Senator Matsunaga.

No. 274 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ADOPTING 'A FLAG FOR ALL PEOPLE' AS AN OFFICIAL SYMBOL OF UNIVERSAL ALOHA IN THE STATE OF HAWAII, IN RECOGNITION OF THE ONGOING PROGRESS OF ALL PEOPLE IN HAWAII AND IN THE WORLD, IN THEIR ENDEAVORS OF COEXISTENCE AND IMPROVEMENT OF THE CONDITIONS OF LIFE."

Offered by: Senators Matsunaga, Kawamoto.

No. 275 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO LEASE PUBLIC LANDS TO WAR VETERANS ORGANIZATIONS AT NOMINAL CONSIDERATION AS SITES FOR CAMPING, YOUTH ATHLETICS, AND EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES."

Offered by: Senator Kawamoto.

No. 276 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO EXPLORE ALTERNATE MECHANISMS FOR FUNDING THE KAWAI NUI MARCH PROJECT."

Offered by: Senator Liu.

No. 277 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIARY TO REVIEW ITS PROCEDURES FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIANS AND TO CONSIDER THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN ALTERNATE ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE FOR APPOINTING TEMPORARY GUARDIANS."

Offered by: Senator Levin.

No. 278 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, AND THE JUDICIARY TO REVIEW THE POLICY OF THE NATIONAL ALLIANCE FOR THE MENTALLY ILL REGARDING INVOLUNTARY COMMITMENT OF, AND COURT-ORDERED TREATMENT FOR, THE MENTALLY ILL AND TO RECOMMEND WHETHER RELEVANT HAWAII STATUTES SHOULD BE AMENDED."

Offered by: Senator Levin.

No. 279 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO TAKE A PUBLIC SECTOR LEADERSHIP ROLE TO ADDRESS TEEN PREGNANCY PREVENTION AND

SERVICES RELATED TO PREGNANT AND PARENTING TEENS."

Offered by: Senator Levin.

No. 280 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO ASSESS, WITH THE COOPERATION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, THE FINANCIAL EFFECT OF REQUIRING ALL STATE MEDICAID MANAGED CARE SYSTEMS, INCLUDING HEALTH MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATIONS, TO SPEND AT LEAST EIGHTY PER CENT OF THEIR STATE MEDICAID PAYMENTS ON MEDICAL CARE, AND TO SEPARATELY ASSESS, WITH THE COOPERATION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER, THE FINANCIAL EFFECT OF REQUIRING ALL PRIVATE HEALTH MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATIONS IN THE STATE TO SPEND AT LEAST EIGHTY PER CENT OF THEIR REVENUES ON MEDICAL CARE."

Offered by: Senator Levin.

No. 281 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO INCLUDE ADEQUATE SPACE AND FACILITIES IN ALL ITS FUTURE SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS TO ACCOMMODATE AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS THAT BENEFIT STUDENTS AND THE COMMUNITY."

Offered by: Senator Kanno.

No. 282 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF THE ECONOMIC IMPACTS RELATED TO SHIPBOARD GAMING IN HAWAII."

Offered by: Senator Mizuguchi.

No. 283 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE RELEASE OF FUNDS FOR THE HEARING AND VISION PROGRAM."

Offered by: Senator Mizuguchi.

No. 284 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO SUPPORT 'BIKE ED HAWAII', THE NATIONALLY-ACCLAIMED BICYCLE SAFETY PROGRAM OF THE HAWAII BICYCLING LEAGUE."

Offered by: Senators Iwase, Levin.

No. 285 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONVENE A PANEL TO REVIEW THE STATE'S STATUTES GOVERNING THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF AN INDIVIDUAL'S HEALTH CARE INFORMATION."

Offered by: Senators Kanno, Levin, Baker.

No. 286 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF THE APPROPRIATE CRITERIA UNDER WHICH UTILITY LINES SHALL BE PLACED UNDERGROUND, AND OF THE APPROPRIATE MEANS OF FINANCING ANY COST DIFFERENTIAL BETWEEN OVERHEAD AND UNDERGROUND PLACEMENT OF UTILITY LINES."

Offered by: Senators Taniguchi, Fukunaga.

No. 287 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION TO

DEVELOP A PRIVATE SECTOR 'BOUNTY HUNTER' PROGRAM AND A 'REFERRAL REWARD' PROGRAM TO ASSIST IN THE COLLECTION OF DELINQUENT TAX ACCOUNTS AND IDENTIFICATION OF UNREGISTERED ENTITIES DOING BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF HAWAII."

Offered by: Senator Taniguchi, by request.

No. 288 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES TO PREPARE AND MAKE AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION QUARTERLY AND ANNUAL REPORTS ON THE STATE'S REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, ASSETS, AND LIABILITIES."

Offered by: Senator Taniguchi, by request.

No. 289 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING HAWAII'S INSURANCE COMMISSIONER TO REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE REGARDING THE BENEFITS, IF ANY, OF ENACTING AN 'INSURANCE BAD FAITH ACT'."

Offered by: Senator Fernandes Salling.

SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (S.R. Nos. 193 to 230) were read by the Clerk and were deferred:

Senate Resolution

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No. 219 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND TO MAKE LOANS TO THE COUNTRIES OF THE FORMER SOVIET UNION TO DISPOSE OF NUCLEAR WASTE FROM THE FORMER SOVIET NUCLEAR SUBMARINE FLEET."

Offered by: Senator Matsunaga.

No. 220 "SENATE RESOLUTION ADOPTING 'A FLAG FOR ALL PEOPLE' AS AN OFFICIAL SYMBOL OF UNIVERSAL ALOHA IN THE STATE OF HAWAII, IN RECOGNITION OF THE ONGOING PROGRESS OF ALL PEOPLE IN HAWAII AND IN THE WORLD, IN THEIR ENDEAVORS OF COEXISTENCE AND IMPROVEMENT OF THE CONDITIONS OF LIFE."

Offered by: Senators Matsunaga, Kawamoto.

No. 221 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO LEASE PUBLIC LANDS TO WAR VETERANS ORGANIZATIONS AT NOMINAL CONSIDERATION AS SITES FOR CAMPING, YOUTH ATHLETICS, AND EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES."

Offered by: Senator Kawamoto.

No. 222 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO EXPLORE ALTERNATE MECHANISMS FOR FUNDING THE KAWAI NUI MARCH PROJECT."

Offered by: Senator Liu.

No. 223 "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO INCLUDE ADEQUATE SPACE AND FACILITIES IN ALL ITS FUTURE SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS TO ACCOMMODATE AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS THAT BENEFIT STUDENTS AND THE COMMUNITY."

Offered by: Senator Kanno.

No. 224 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF THE ECONOMIC IMPACTS RELATED TO SHIPBOARD GAMING IN HAWAII."

Offered by: Senator Mizuguchi.

No. 225 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE RELEASE OF FUNDS FOR THE HEARING AND VISION PROGRAM."

Offered by: Senator Mizuguchi.

No. 226 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONVENE A PANEL TO REVIEW THE STATE'S STATUTES GOVERNING THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF AN INDIVIDUAL'S HEALTH CARE INFORMATION."

Offered by: Senators Kanno, Levin.

No. 227 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF THE APPROPRIATE CRITERIA UNDER WHICH UTILITY LINES SHALL BE PLACED UNDERGROUND, AND OF THE APPROPRIATE MEANS OF FINANCING ANY COST DIFFERENTIAL BETWEEN OVERHEAD AND UNDERGROUND PLACEMENT OF UTILITY LINES."

Offered by: Senators Taniguchi, Fukunaga.

No. 228 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION TO DEVELOP A PRIVATE SECTOR 'BOUNTY HUNTER' PROGRAM AND A 'REFERRAL REWARD' PROGRAM TO ASSIST IN THE COLLECTION OF DELINQUENT TAX ACCOUNTS AND IDENTIFICATION OF UNREGISTERED ENTITIES DOING BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF HAWAII."

Offered by: Senator Taniguchi, by request.

No. 229 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES TO PREPARE AND MAKE AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION QUARTERLY AND ANNUAL REPORTS ON THE STATE'S REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, ASSETS, AND LIABILITIES."

Offered by: Senator Taniguchi, by request.

No. 230 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE THE FEASIBILITY OF LOCATING STATE CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES IN SURPLUS MILITARY FACILITIES OR MIDWAY ISLAND."

Offered by: Senator Graulty.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:59 o'clock a.m., on motion by Senator Ihara, seconded by Senator Liu and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m., Tuesday, March 19, 1996.